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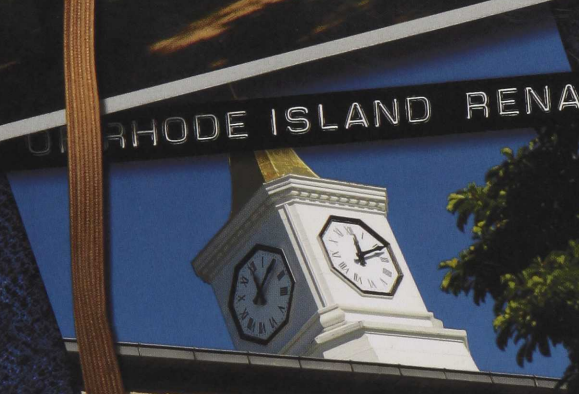

NEW DIRECTIONS

University of Rhode Island
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New Directions

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Volume 108

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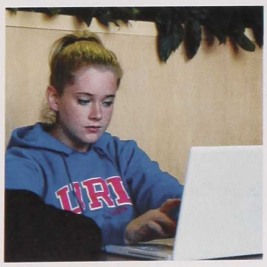
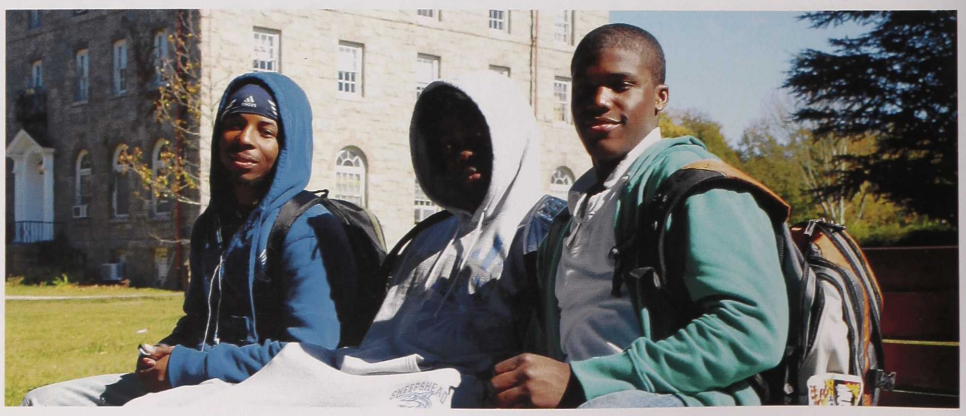
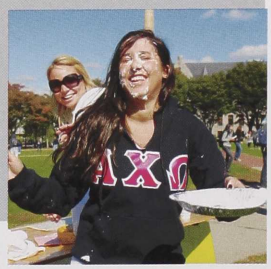
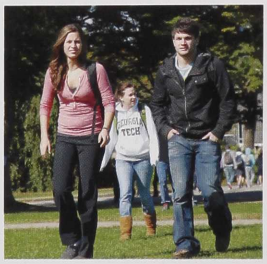
"New Directions," the title of this year's book is just one way to look at the years spent at the University of Rhode Island, both within and beyond the classroom. Many students spend a great deal of time and money investing in the years that eventually form the memories of their college years. The time that they spent at the University and the memories forged within will last a lifetime. What each of these years and memories represent will vary from student to student and from moment to moment, but each one of these experiences will ensure a new direction in life. As a student at the University of Rhode Island there are an indeterminable number of options available both while in school and after graduation. With the close of this year, many students of this University have spent the last few years of their lives exploring new and old options and have now graduated into a world where they direct their own path. From here where a student decides to go and what they decide to do with their life is an open path with many different opportunities. Every one of these opportunities has one thing in common, because for every one of these students their graduation from URI is an event that will lead them to many new directions in life. The University of Rhode Island and the years spent there are an opening to try new things and decide what direction one would like to explore.









URI at a Glance

Fun Facts

1. URI enrolls students from 44 U.S. territories and the District of Columbia.

2. Most URI students come from Rhode Island (63.8%) -- Followed by Massachusetts (10.2%), New Jersey (6.4%), Connecticut (6.4%), and New York (6.0%).

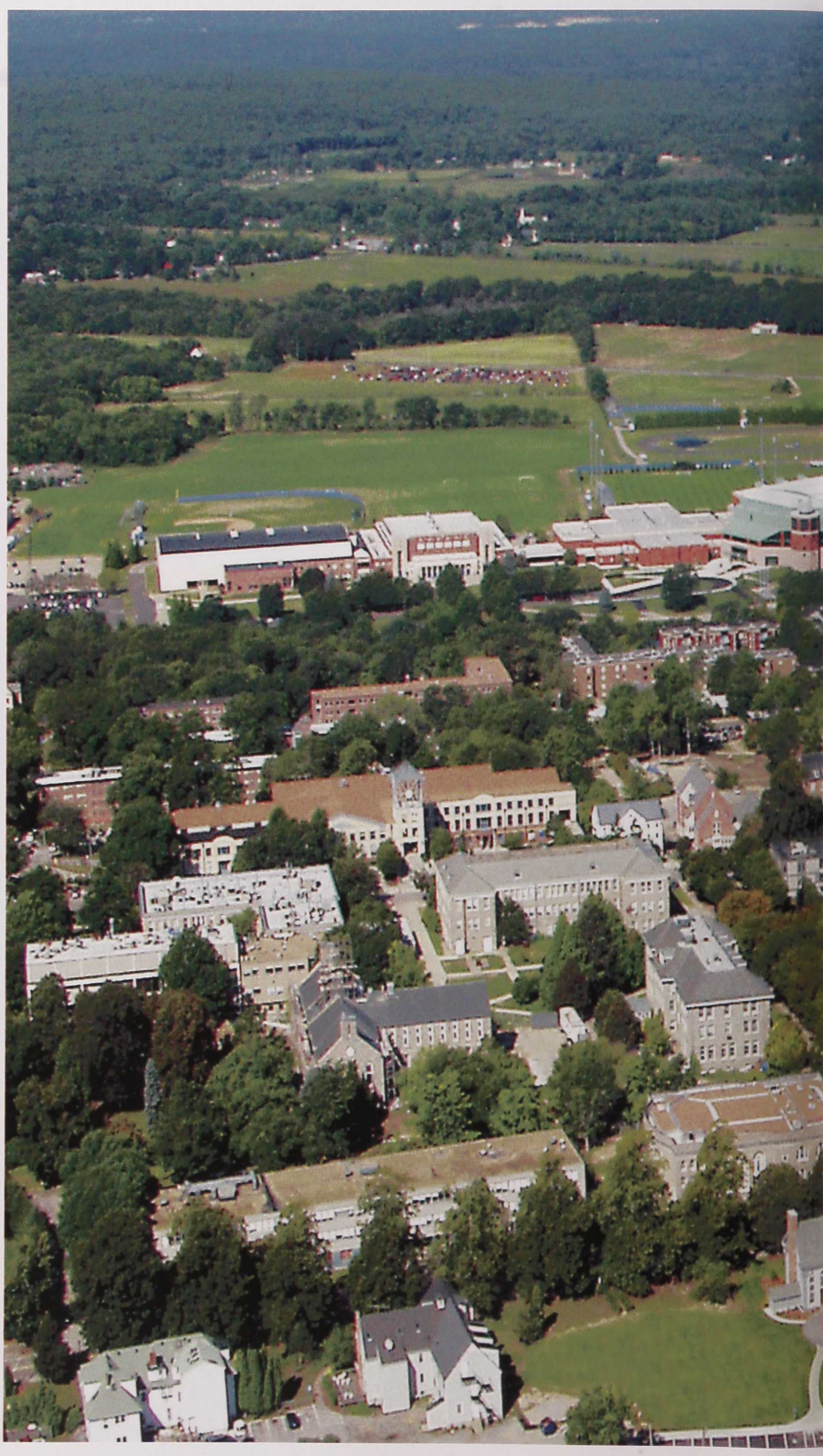
3. Ninety percent of incoming URI freshmen live in the residence halls their first year.

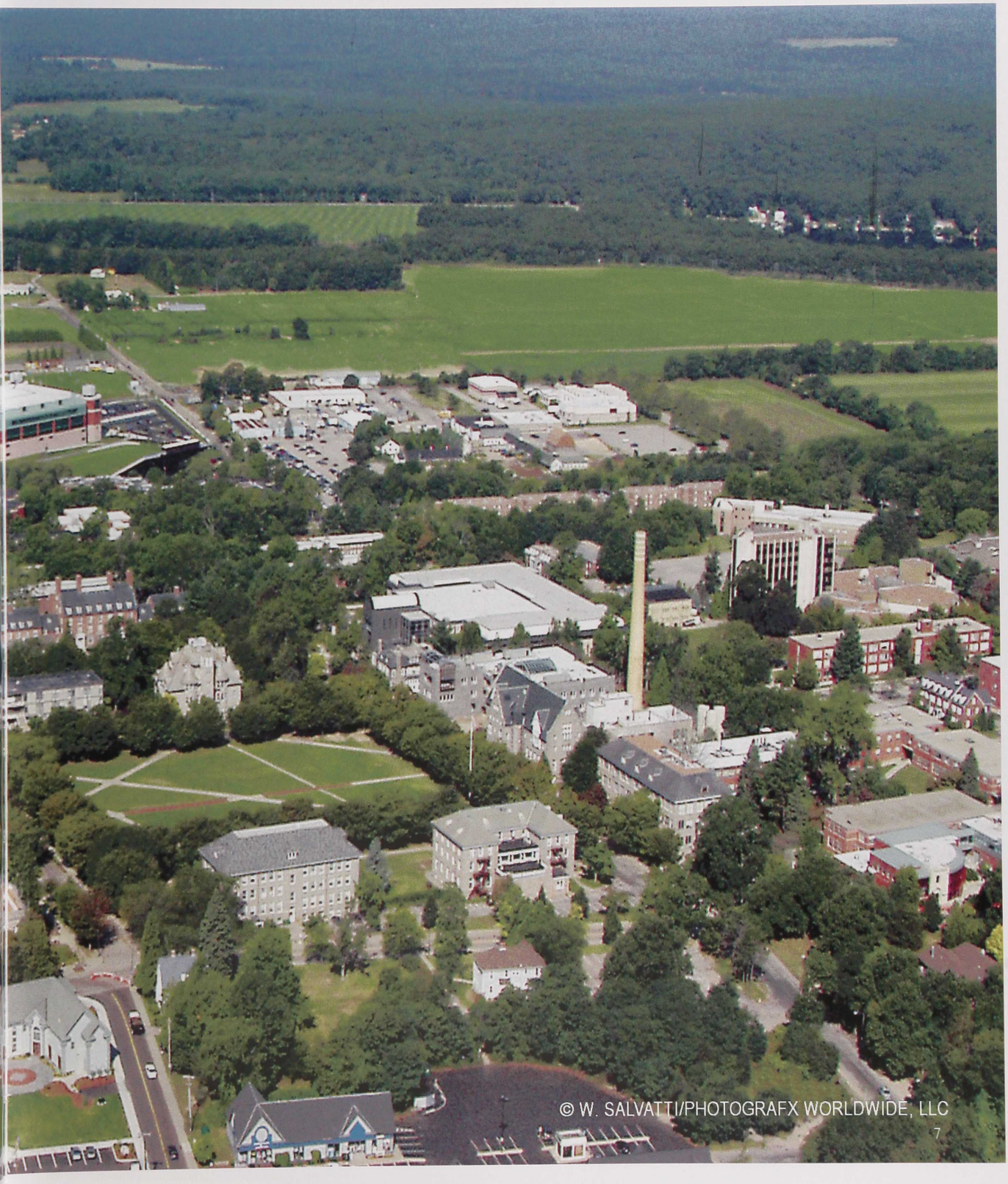
4. About 15% of URI female undergraduate students join sororities and 12% of male undergraduate students join fraternities.

5. URI has a population of 13,000 undergraduates, 3,000 of which are freshmen.

6. Yearly tuition for an out of state student for the 2009-2010 academic year was $24,736 while the tuition for an in-state student was $8,238.

7. Eighty different majors are offered at the University of Rhode Island.

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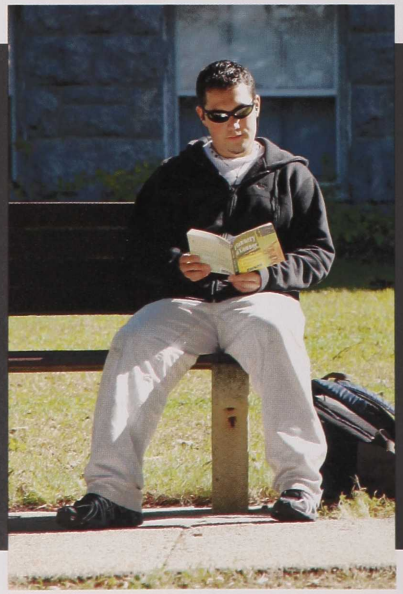


What do you like at URI?

"I really like hope dining hall because it's a really good place to hang out with friends and get a good meal."

Dan O'Brien
Junior

"I like that no matter what you're only 20 minutes away from everything."

Whitney Roberts
Senior

"I just love the campus and the environment. It's a great environment."

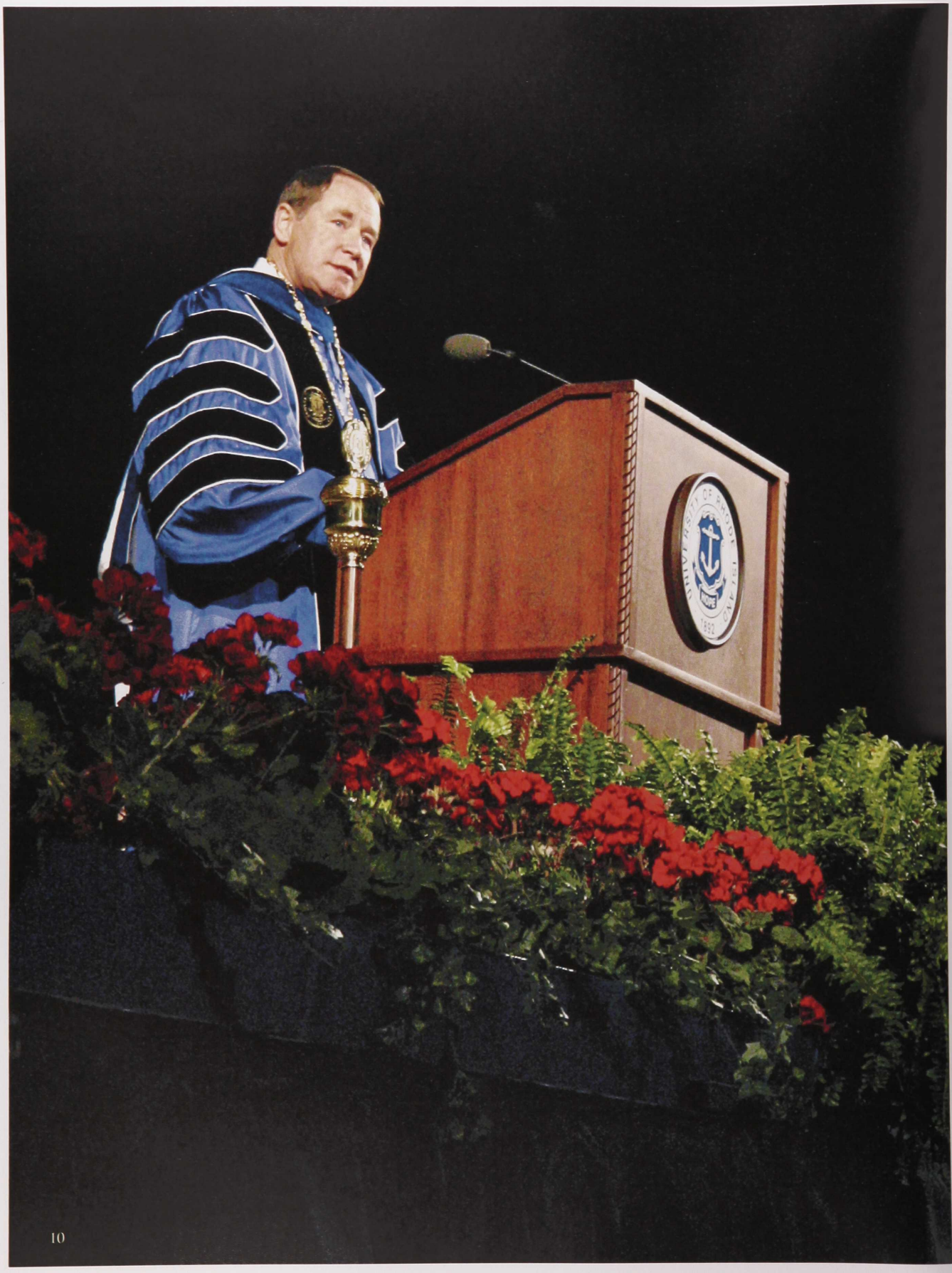
Ali Muhammad
Freshman

"I like the different types of people that you meet."

Rita Perry
Senior

"Whether you like a big campus or small campus, URI can offer the perks of both."

Nicole Allen
Junior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URI's Newest Big Thinker

URI welcomes David M. Dooley as the 11th president.

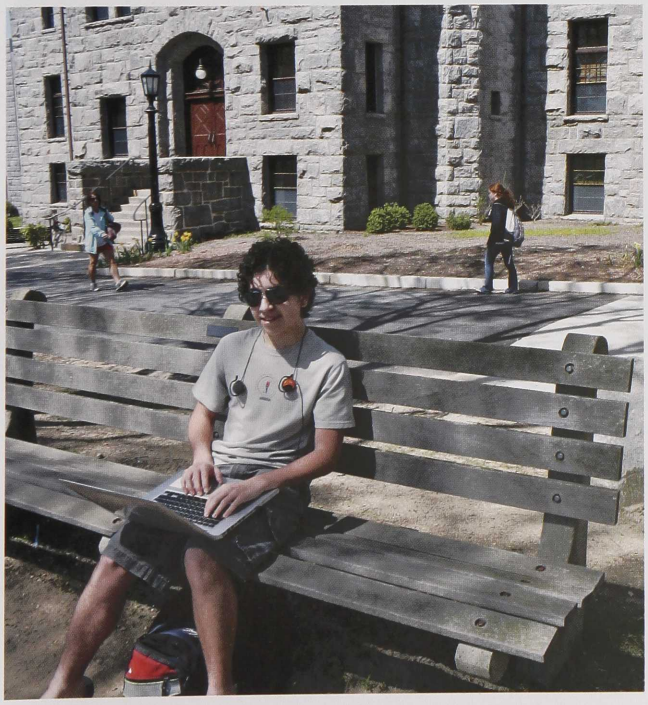
President Dooley began his position at URI on July 1, 2009, and was formally inaugurated on April 8, 2010. Before coming to URI, Dooley served as provost and vice president for academic affairs at Montana State University. He was previously a professor of chemistry at Amherst College. Dooley received a PhD in chemistry from California Institute of Technology and a BA in chemistry from University of California, San Diego.

President Dooley came to URI with big plans and new ideas for ways to connect with students, alumni, and the university community. He started a blog to keep everyone informed about things going on at the university. To keep alumni up to date, President Dooley started a big thinker series where he speaks to alumni groups about his plans for the university. To connect with students, President Dooley has started inviting student groups to hang out in the basement of his house. He also had a town hall style meeting with students where he discussed his ideas for the future of the university, and answered questions from students.

One of the topics discussed in great detail at the town hall meeting was curriculum requirements. He believes that undergraduate education could be better, but is not broken. Dooley is a big supporter of switching to a four credit system. In his experience, students who go to schools with a four credit system are just as successful as students who go to schools with a three credit system. Dooley thinks that it is time to reevaluate whether the university should continue to teach large lecture classes because they are not the most valuable, and are not what undergraduates expect. He suggested that professors could post power point lectures online and meet with students in smaller groups to answer questions. President Dooley thinks that general education requirements need to be revised, and that general education only needs to cover the core competencies of writing, statistics, and critical thinking.

When asked about short term goals, he stated that he wants to get students more engaged with big problems, starting with freshmen, increase the use of sakai, get students involved in more research, creative work, and internships, have more study abroad and international students, improve classrooms, and have a football team that can win more than one game.

Life Around Campus



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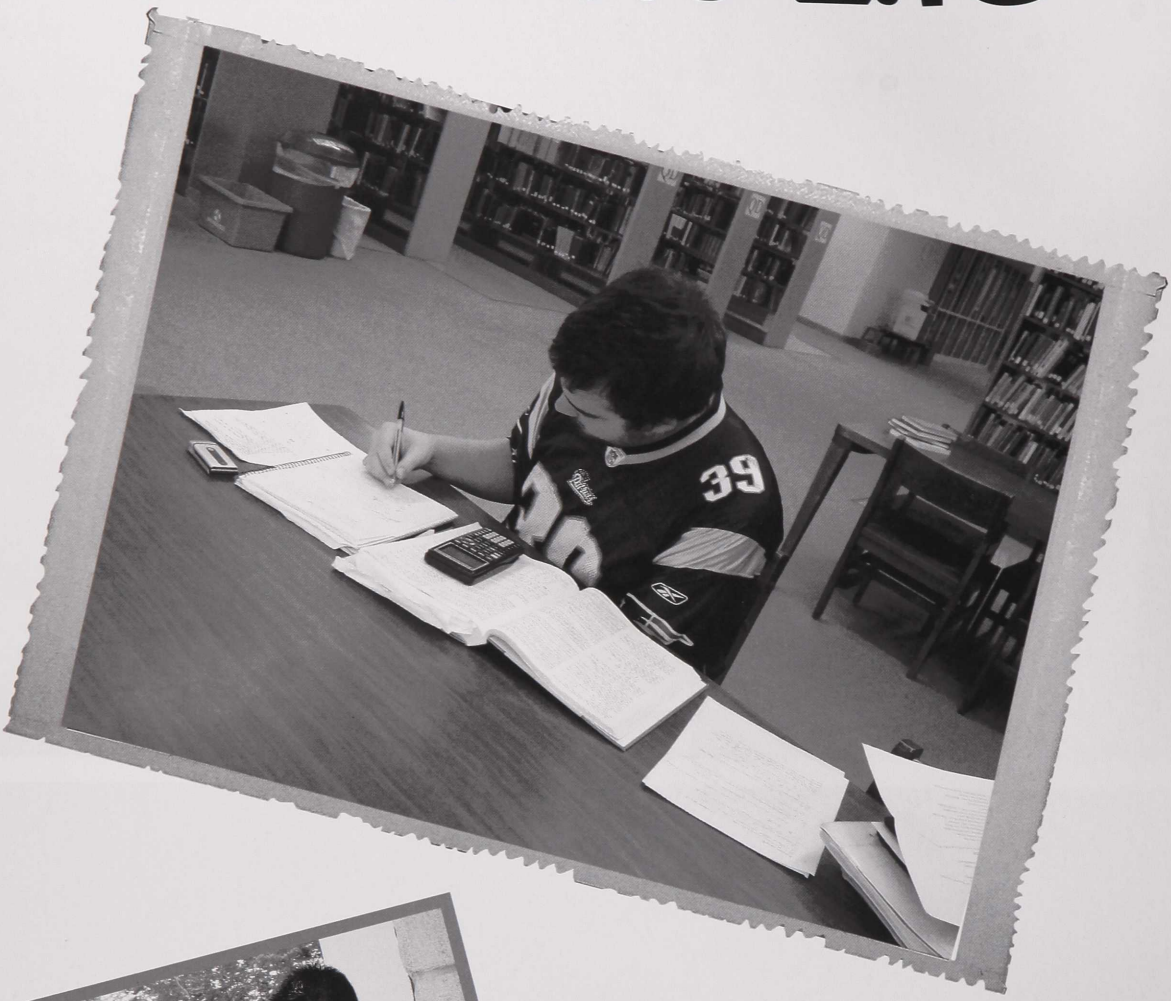
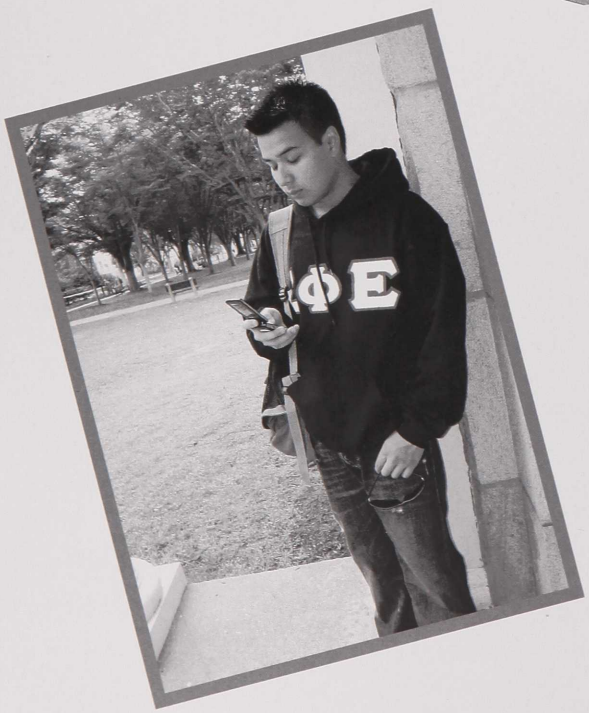
Student Life





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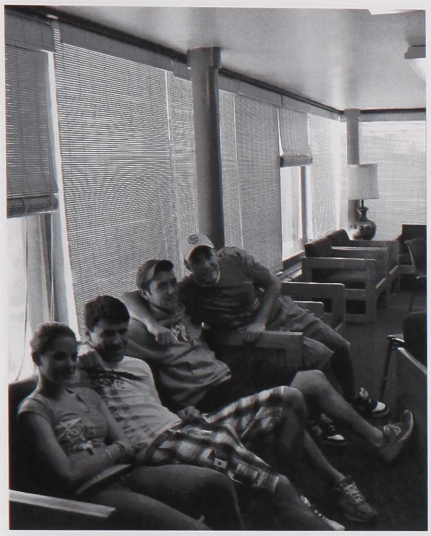
The Dorm Experience: The Beginning

It all started in 1891 with College Hall, which was later rebuilt as Davis Hall after a fire. East Hall was built in 1909, and replaced Davis Hall as the new men's dormitory. Davis Hall became the women's dormitory, and women were admitted for the first time in the fall of 1909. In 1936, Roosevelt Hall was dedicated by the first lady, Eleanor Roosevelt, and became a women's dormitory. Butterfield and Bressler Halls were built in 1950, and were later followed by more of the current dorms.

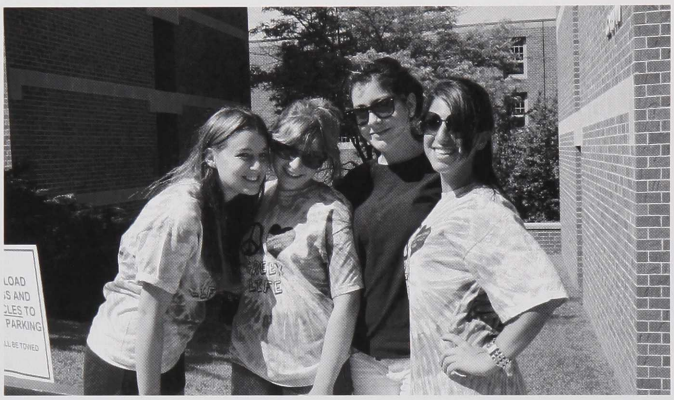
Stephanie Witz
Junior

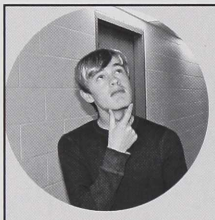
"It's a lot easier to get to class instead of commuting, and it's easier to practice at the fine arts center."

Freshman Year



Freshman are placed randomly, unless they have already selected a roommate, so they hope for a good roommate. The remaining years, students know their roommate and just hope for a good room to live in. There are many freshmen dorms and housing is guaranteed for freshmen so they do not have to worry about getting a spot. Unfortunately, they are likely to share very close quarters in a dreaded forced freshman triple.



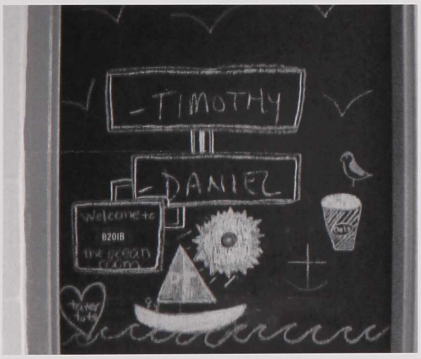


Michael Mulcahy
Freshman

"Freshman housing is like a gentle summer breeze. It's cool, but not so cool that you want to get a sweatshirt."

Sophomore Year

Many sophomores choose to live off campus in Narragansett, but those who stay live in the upperclassman dorms. Usually, sophomores live in "The Ghetto." which is made up of Aldrich, Burnside, Coddington, Dorr, Ellery, and Hopkins. These dorms have single or double rooms with about four people sharing a bathroom that they clean themselves. When "the Ghetto" fills up, many sophomores end up in Heathman Hall or Transfer House.



"I like the green trees around campus."

Andrew Varao
Freshman

Junior and Senior Years

Junior and Senior years are when the first few years of living on campus pay off. Students are presented with the opportunity to live in Eddy, Wiley or Garrahy, which are as much like mansions as dorm life will ever be. They get their own room, a living room and only share a bathroom with about three people. Not to mention the dorms are practically brand new. Some juniors end up in the Terrace Apartments or "The Ghetto" when Eddy fills up.

"I like how close it is to everything."

Ashley Dopart
Freshman

Rainbow Diversity House

17 Fraternity Circle

A diverse, multicultural living community focused on social justice, social service, and leadership, this housing arrangement on campus offers a unique living experience. Considered a home for students from all around the world, students participate in monthly discussions and social events. This house for forty students includes a full kitchen, with a chef, and a recreation room where students create close friendships that last a lifetime.

"Be who you are and what you feel; because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind"-Dr. Seuss

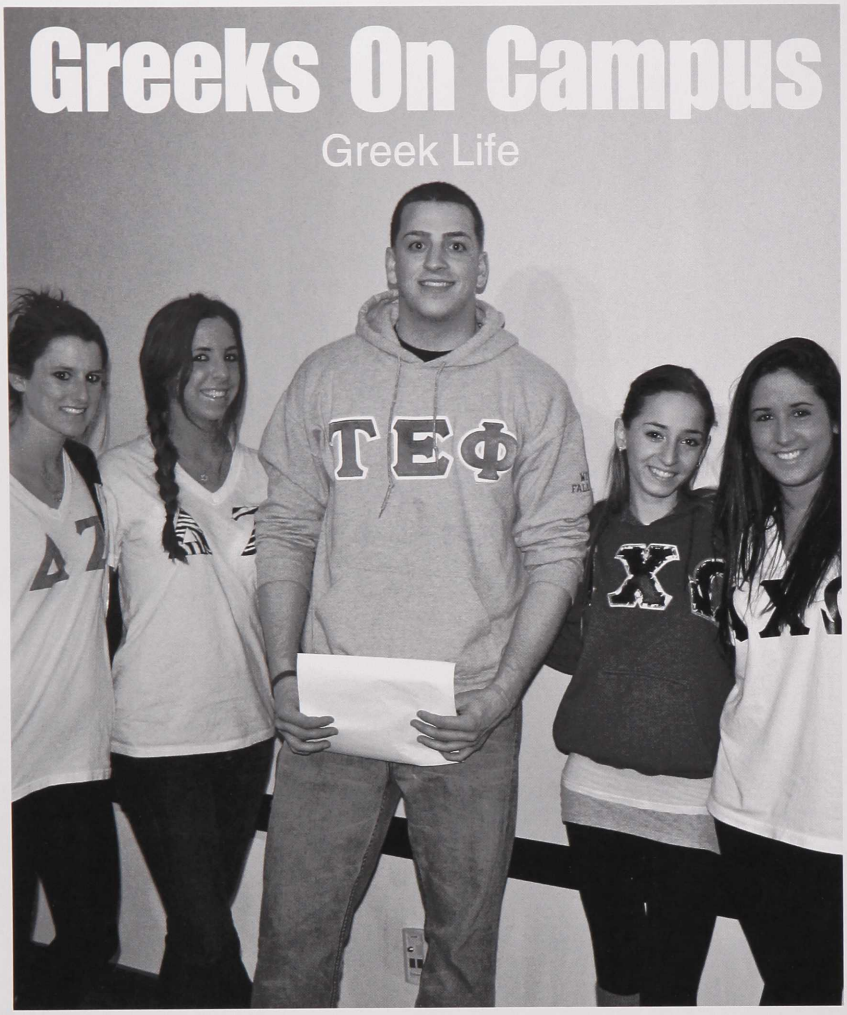
Cathrine Linn Kristiansen
Norway
Senior

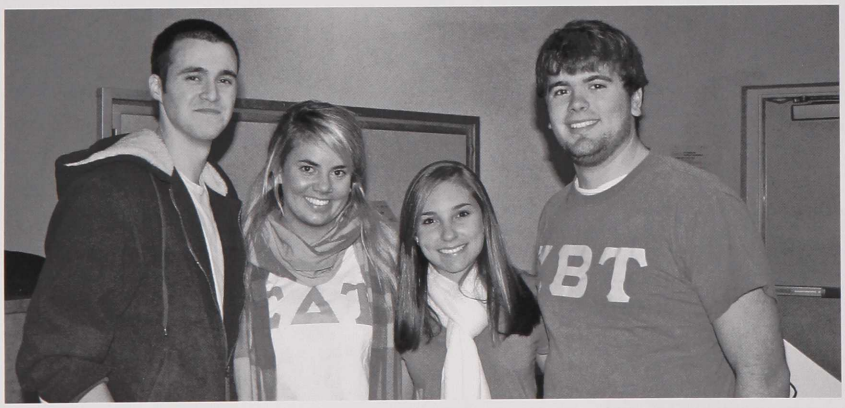
"It is not a house it is a home. Live and let live."

Heather Cyr
United States
Senior

Greeks On Campus

Greek Life





"An experience that will last a lifetime."

- Brandon Auletta
FIJI Senior

Greek Life is one of the greatest social aspects of college life that students can participate in. URI has 12 fraternities and 10 sororities. There are over 1,600 active members, which account for approximately 15% of the total undergraduate population. The Greeks participate in multiple activities around campus including Freak Day, where all the freshmen come out and see what fraternity or sorority they would consider joining, Philanthropy Week, where the fraternities and sororities compete to see who can raise the most money for a charitable cause, and Greek Week, where the fraternities and sororities compete in athletic and choreographic events. This year, Theta Chi was lucky enough to restart a colony of the formerly prominent fraternity at URI.

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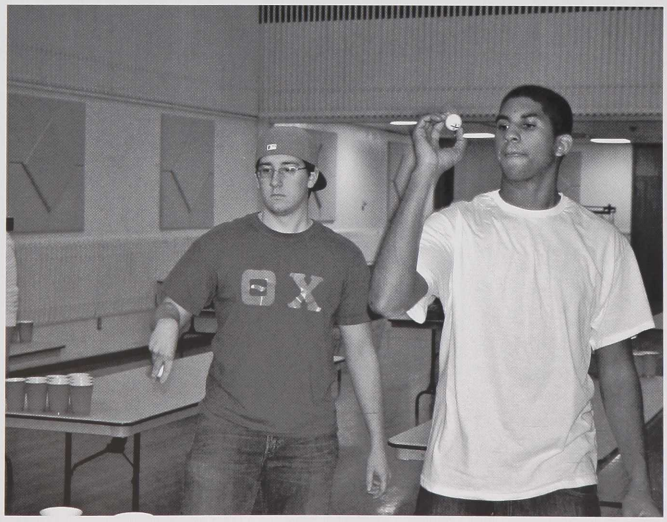


Down the Line

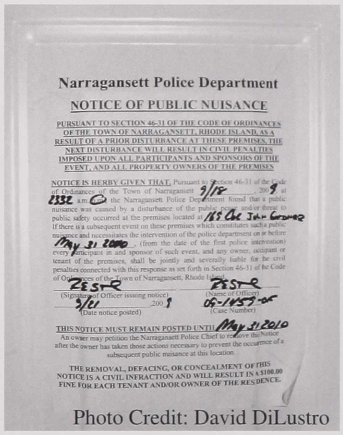
Living the Life Off Campus

"Down the Line" is the affectionate nickname given to the Narragansett area where many URI sophomores, juniors, and seniors live. Living five minutes away from the beach is just slightly more appealing than shacking up with rats in Burnside.

While living down the line has it's perks, URI students and Narragansett residents are not always prefect neighbors. The "Orange Sticker" policy allows Narragansett police to place oranges stickers on nuisance houses to identify them as party houses. The policy was revised in 2007 to allow orange stickers to remain on the houses for the remainder of the academic year instead of just 60 days.

Sophomore, David DiLustro, described the orange sticker as "like a scarlet letter," and added that "there's been instances where people have been walking by, and walk right up to our door, and take a picture of it. Very rude and uncouth if you ask me."

With the help of the ACLU, Student Senate filed a lawsuit against the town of Narragnasett in 2008. Students believed that the orange stickers were a violation of constitutional rights. This year, Student Senate lost the lawsuit, but they do not think it is the end of the issue over orange stickers.



Narragansett Police Department

NOTICE OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

PURSUANT TO SECTION 46-31 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF NARRAGANSETT, RHODE ISLAND, AS A RESULT OF A PRIOR DISTURBANCE AT THESE PREMISES, THE NEXT DISTURBANCE WILL RESULT IN CIVIL PENALTIES IMPOSED UPON ALL PARTICIPANTS AND SPONSORS OF THE EVENT, AND ALL PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE PREMISES

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN THAT, Pursuant to Section 46-31 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Narragansett 9/18, 2009 at 2332 a.m. the Narragansett Police Department found that a public nuisance was caused by a disturbance of the public peace and/or threat to public safety occurred at the premises located at 165 Cbe John Gardner. If there is a subsequent event on these premises which constitutes such a public nuisance and necessitates the intervention of the police department on or before May 31 2010, (from the date of the first police intervention) every participant in and sponsor of such event, and any owner, occupant or tenant of the premises, shall be jointly and severally liable for the civil penalties connected with this response as set forth in Section 46-31 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.

Zestr (Signature of Officer issuing notice) — Zestr (Name of Officer)

9/21, 2009 (Date notice posted) — 09-1459-OF (Case Number)

THIS NOTICE MUST REMAIN POSTED UNTIL May 31 2010

An owner may petition the Narragansett Police Chief to remove the Notice after the owner has taken those actions necessary to prevent the occurrence of a subsequent public nuisance at this location.

THE REMOVAL, DEFACING, OR CONCEALMENT OF THIS NOTICE IS A CIVIL INFRACTION AND WILL RESULT IN A $100.00 FINE FOR EACH TENANT AND/OR OWNER OF THE RESIDENCE.

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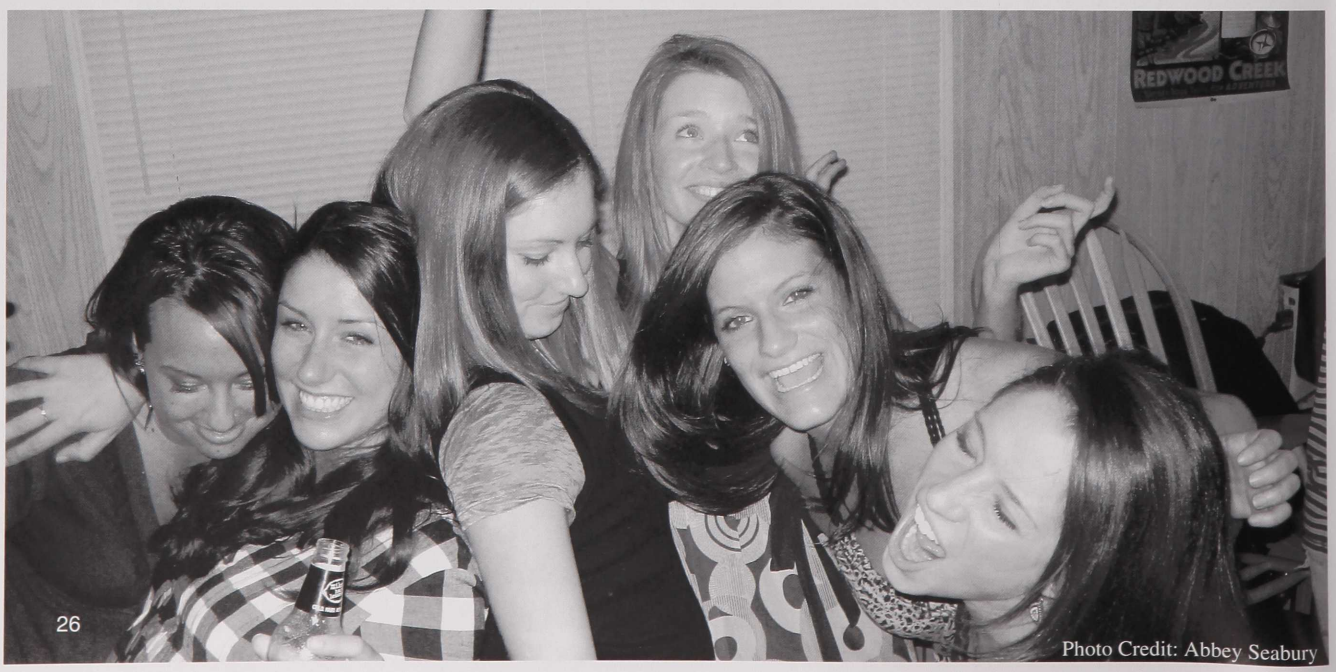

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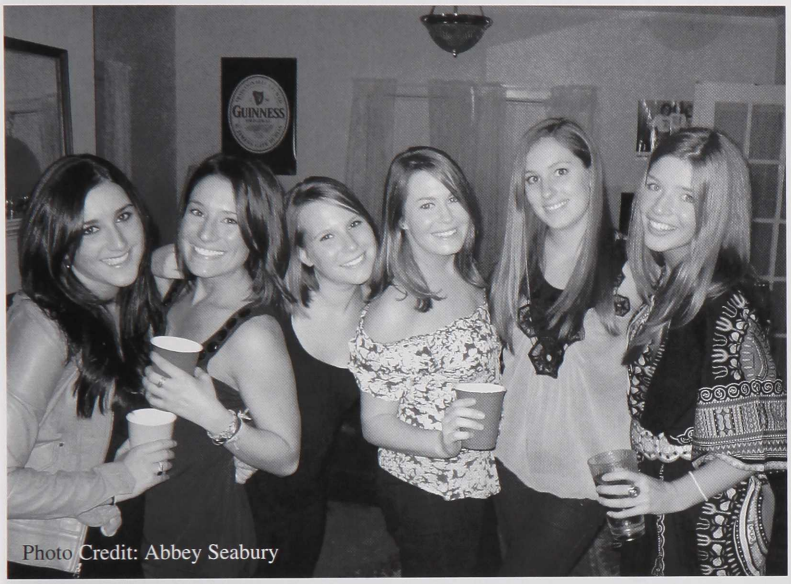
The Seasons in 'Gansett



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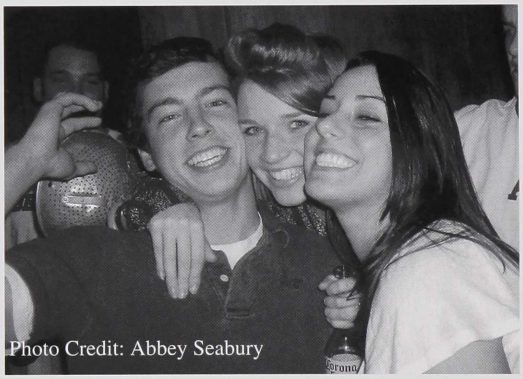

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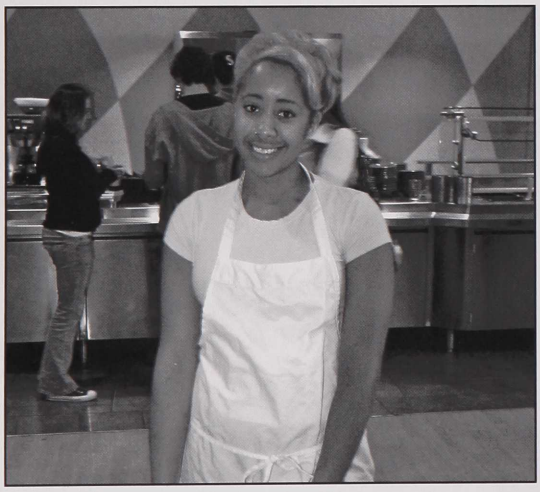
"I love living off campus. My house is beautiful! Parking can be a pain, but it's worth it to live near the beach!"

Rachel Davison
Junior

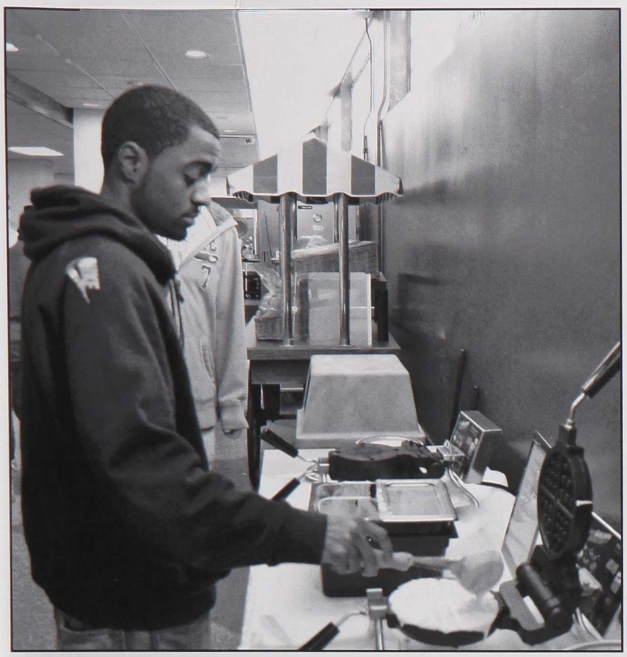
Rhody Eateries

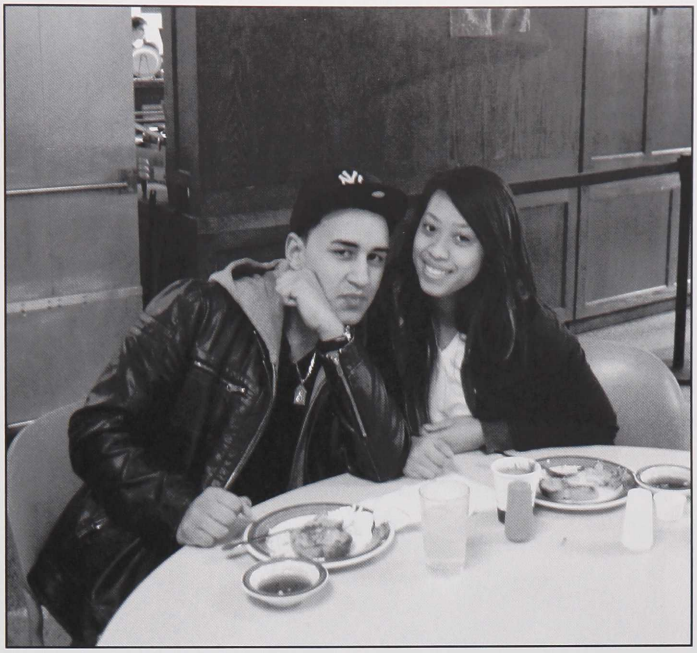
Many resident students are unhappy with the dining options on campus. Residents are required to pay $1,855 or more per semester for an unlimited meal plan which can be used at Butterfield or Mainfare at Hope Commons. The meal plans are unlimited, but students are not allowed to take food from the dining halls, and many people feel that they should be allowed to take food since they are paying so much for the meal plan. Partly in response to a facebook group called "URI Students For The Right To Take Food From the Dining Hall!," the Student Senate Campus Affairs committee started to take action to change the meal plans. Students can now get one combo meal per day from the Ram's Den. Senate surveyed students about meal plans, and they are still working on getting dining services to allow students to take food from the dining halls or offer meal plans with a set number of meals per week instead of unlimited meals.



Senior Survey: Top Places to Eat On Campus

1. Ram's Den
2. Hope
3. International Zone
4. Butterfield





Ram's Den

This year, the Ram's Den became a dining option for resident meal plan students. Now, residents can eat in Hope and Butterfield an unlimited number of times per day, as well as one meal per day in the Ram's Den. Students can choose from burgers, sandwiches, pizza, or meals from Jump Asian Express. All combo meals come with a drink, and some include fries or a piece of fruit. It adds another tasty option for students who want a break from the regular dining halls.

"This combo-meal plan thing is awesome"
-Gabe Ausfresser, Junior

"This food is better than Hope"
-Shane Walton, Junior

The Emporium

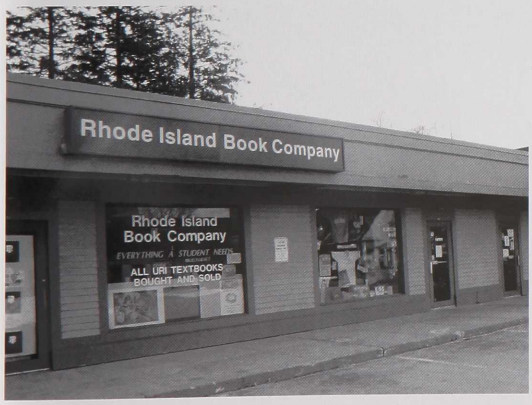
Home of all of your dining and shopping needs

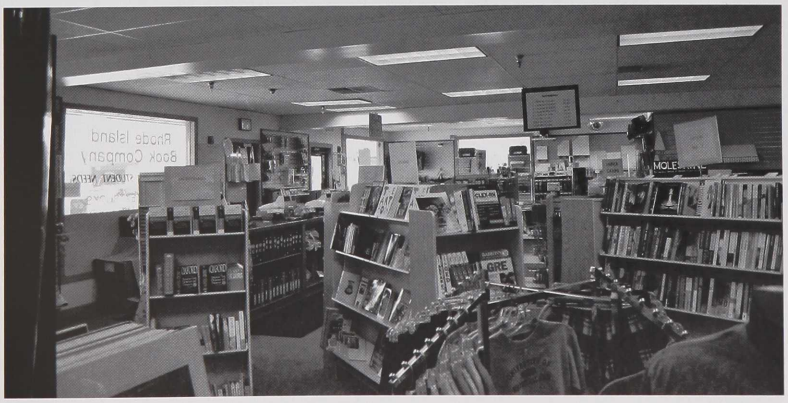
The Emporium is where students who live both on and off-campus shop, dine, and socialize. There are stores for textbooks, URI gear, toothpaste, and gum, as well as, restaurants for coffee, burgers, ice cream, pizza, calzones, sandwiches, mexican food, and more. Of course, where you find food, you find people. This is where many students eat breakfast or lunch, meet up with their friends, and run into classmates from freshman year. The Emporium is an essential part of a URI student's success.

What is Your Favorite Restaurant in the Emporium?

"Bagelz. I like Subway too."
-Tracey Vogel
Senior

"Albies!"
-Doug Fisher
Freshman





Memorial Union

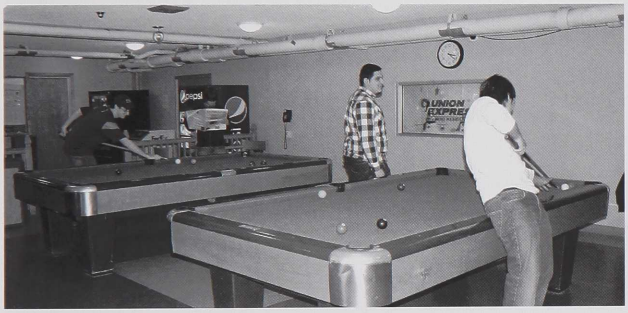
It's where all the cool college kids gather.

Did you know?: **IN THE PAST THE UNION HOUSED A PUB AND A BOWLING ALLEY. THE LATTER OCCUPIED WHAT IS NOW RONZIO'S AND UNION EXPRESS.**

Bruce Hamilton,
Director of the Union

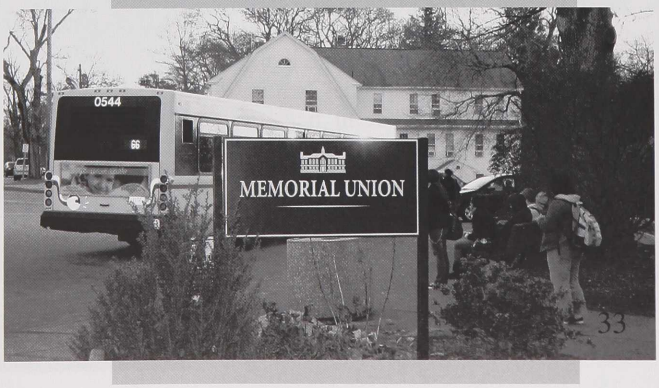
The main hub for student clubs, the Memorial Union is a central gathering place for student life and campus activities.

Did you know?: The Union was built in 1954 and rededicated in 1965 in honor of URI students who served in the war.



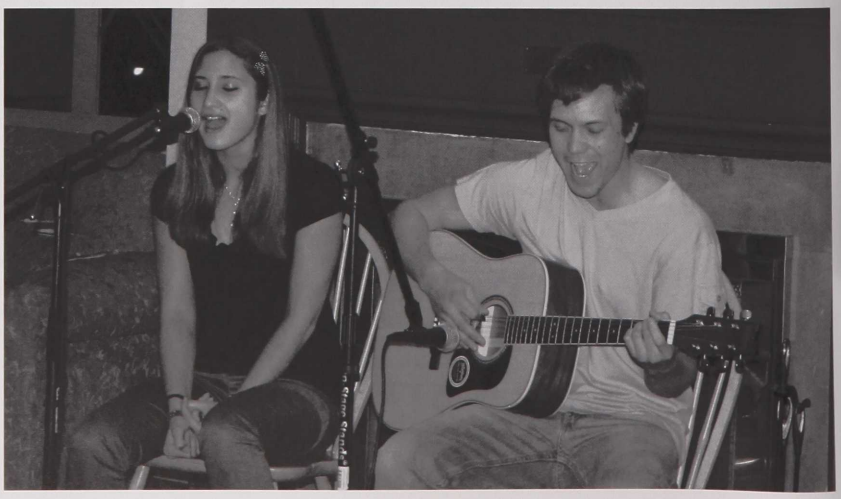
"I like hanging out in the union more than I thought I would."

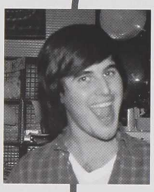
Alex Gerlach
Junior



193° Coffee House

Situated at the end of the main floor of the union, this is the place to get coffee from people who know how to make it right. The Coffee House aims to give students a place where they can relax and have a good time in this friendly atmosphere. Besides being a great place to hang out in between classes the Coffee House also hosts one open mic night a month among other student events. This coffee house is a great place to crash in between classes and meet some new people.





"Giving bands a chance to perform live and provide them caffeine is pretty much why the 193° Coffee House exists."

Justin Cahoon
Senior

"It's shows like these that make me remember why I love it here."

Natalie Rizzo
Senior

Did you know?: The 193° Coffee House got its name because coffee is brewed at that temperature.

Wet or Dry?

URI students have not been allowed to have alcohol at tailgate parties since President Carothers made URI a dry campus. This year, President Dooley changed the tailgating policy to allow alcohol at tailgate parties. The new policy opened the debate about alcohol on campus, but so far very little has changed about other alcohol policies on campus.

Senior Survey

- **2010- Do you think alcohol should be allowed on campus?**

84% YES

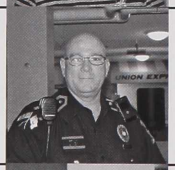
16% NO

Survey results from previous yearbooks:

- **Are you in favor of serving beer on campus?**
  - **2001**- 75% yes
  - **1971**- 99% yes
  - **1952**- 52% yes
  - **1937**- 27% yes

What are your thoughts about alcohol on campus?

"If it's on campus, it could be a danger to the student body, even those who aren't drinking. If the people who are having it can assume responsibility, then I think it's fair enough."
Calum Hughes, Freshman



"As long as it's monitored and regulated, and as long as people are over 21, then why not. If everybody could take control of themselves. I think it's alright."
Mark Chearino, URI Police

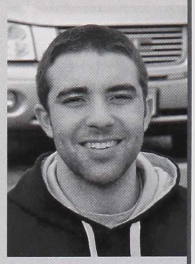
"I think it should be allowed, especially to those who are of age."
Sarah Yang, Senior

"Regardless of whether it's a wet campus or a dry campus, there's still going to be alcohol."
Patrick Meehan, Freshman

Tailgating

"I wish the weather was a little better, but I'll be out here no matter what. It's just great to finally have it back."
Steve Hillison
Junior

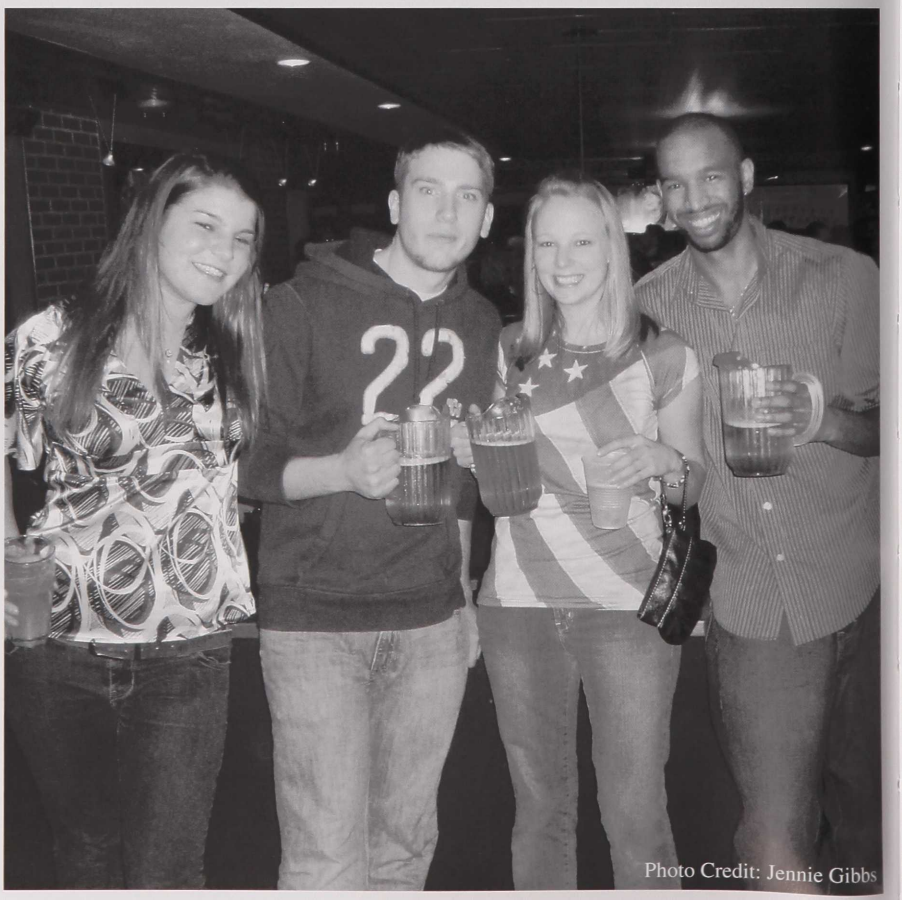
"This is the first time tailgating, and it's awesome. Last time I came to a football game was freshman year because I lived on campus. There's no reason to come to football without tailgating."
Justin Scarpulla
Pharmacy 2nd year



"I think it's a great idea because it's going to bring alumni back, and it's in a controlled manner."
Bronwen Hundley
Graduate '01

Night Life

When URI students blow off steam and have fun!



Senior Survey

Do you like beer or mixed drinks?

46%	Beer
54%	Mixed Drinks

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Photo Credit: Victoria Gomez

Senior Survey

Favorite Off Campus Hangout	
1.	Charlie O's
2.	My House
3.	Casey's

"Why are the bars here only open until 1 am?"
Laura Kovacs
Sophomore

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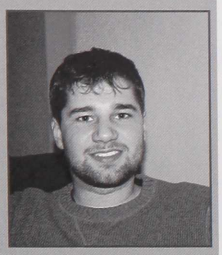
How **SAFE?** *do you feel?*

Safety @ URI

URI's Finest and Brightest



"I feel safe on campus."

Rob Priedmann
Senior

"Sometimes at night, because I'm a commuter, its kinda scary walking to my car at night and we keep getting those e-mails about someone in danger down by the Ryan Center car lot."

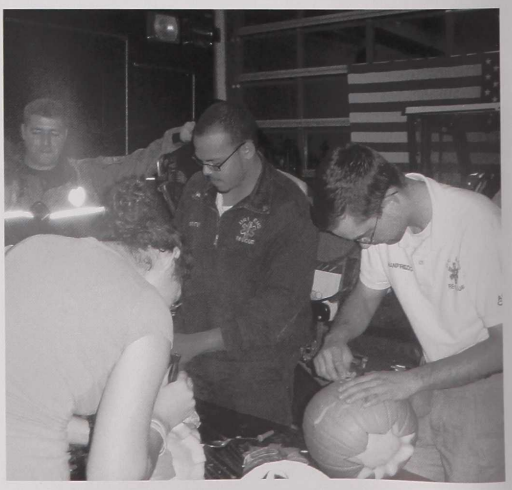
Kerrin Suvari
Freshman

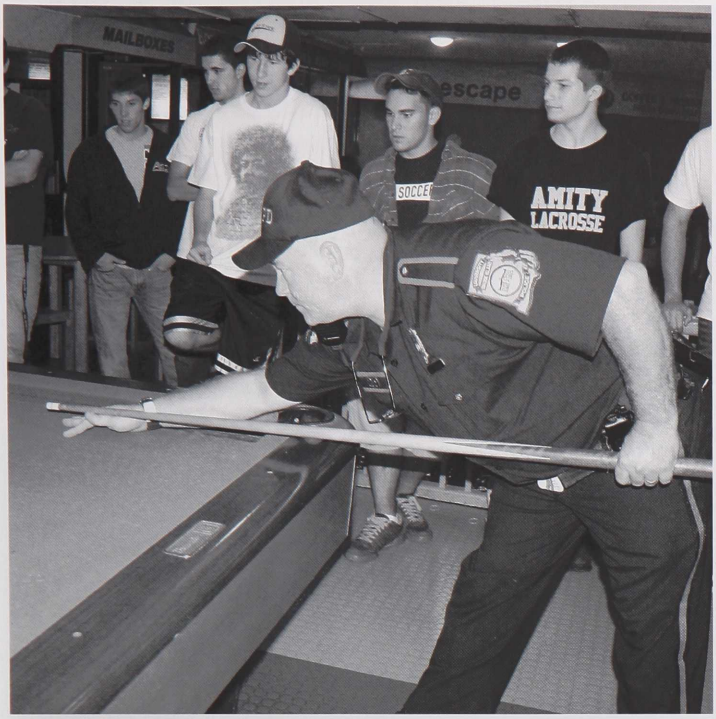
"I haven't had a lot of problems. There are the police. There are the safety buttons."

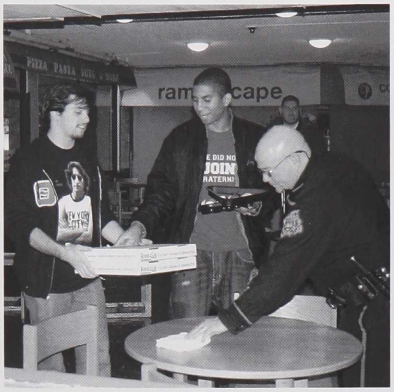
Christophe Yen
Senior

URI Emergency Medical Services

Starting back in the 1980s, URI EMS has evolved into a reputed student staff medical team serving both the URI and South Kingston communities.







A staple at URI events, often interacting with the student community, the URI Police Department is a welcome force to be reckoned with.

URI Police Department

Kingston Fire Department

Hate those fire drills? Well love KFD. This volunteer corps will be the one who rescues you!

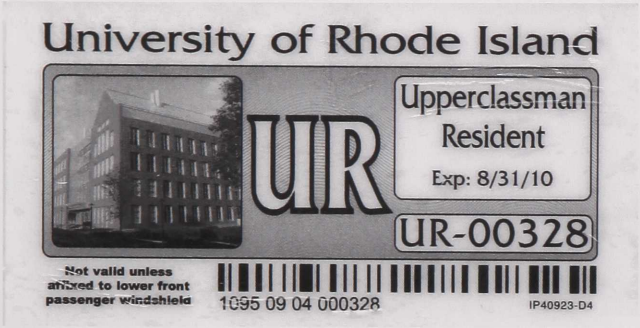
At the end of the day, the goals are simple: safety and security.

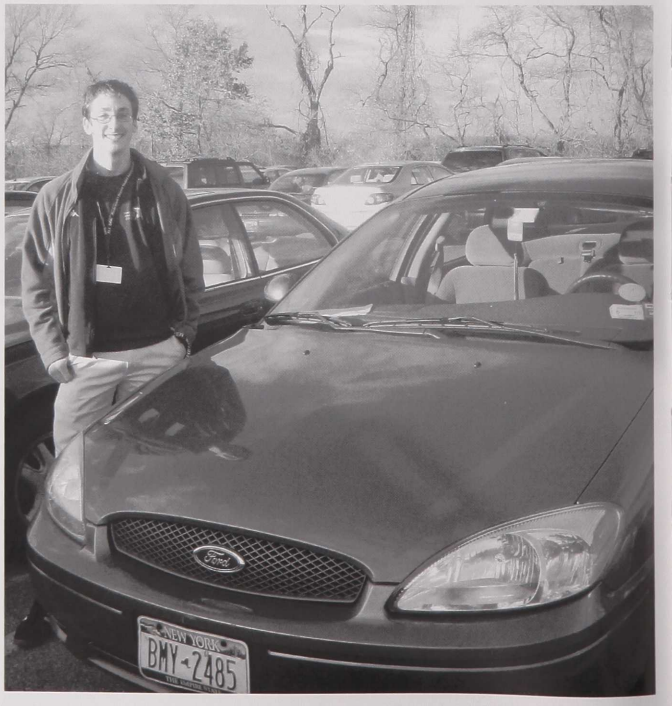
Jodi Rell, Politician

Parking on Campus

Where Students Leave their Wheels

There are over twenty different parking lots on URI's campus. Each is devoted to a special group of people--faculty and staff, commuters, visitors, residents, and greeks. For better or worse, everyone seems to have an opinion about the parking situation.





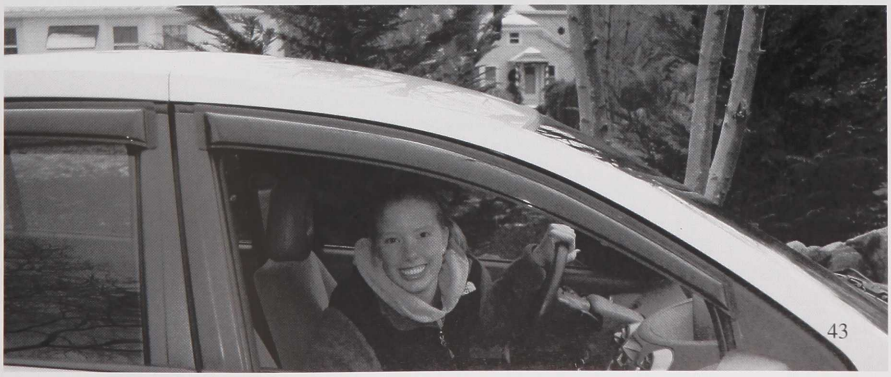
What do students think about parking?

"I think parking is pretty bad. I think it's ridiculous that a whole section of the Fine Arts Lot is sectioned off for marching band when they only practice once a week!"
Carolina Breakell, Senior

"I hate when people stalk you to get your spot!"
Brianne Day, Junior

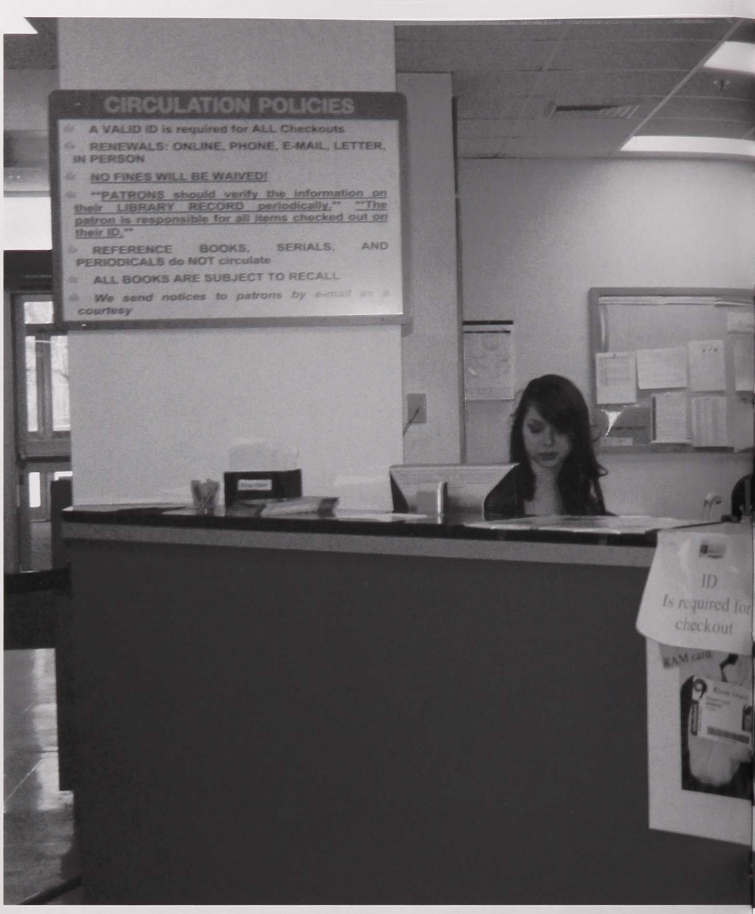
"Parking is okay. I've been trying to get a permanent spot for awhile. Parking services says they lost my sticker."
Aran Valente, Senior

"I didn't move off campus because parking is so bad"
Rachael Leon, Senior

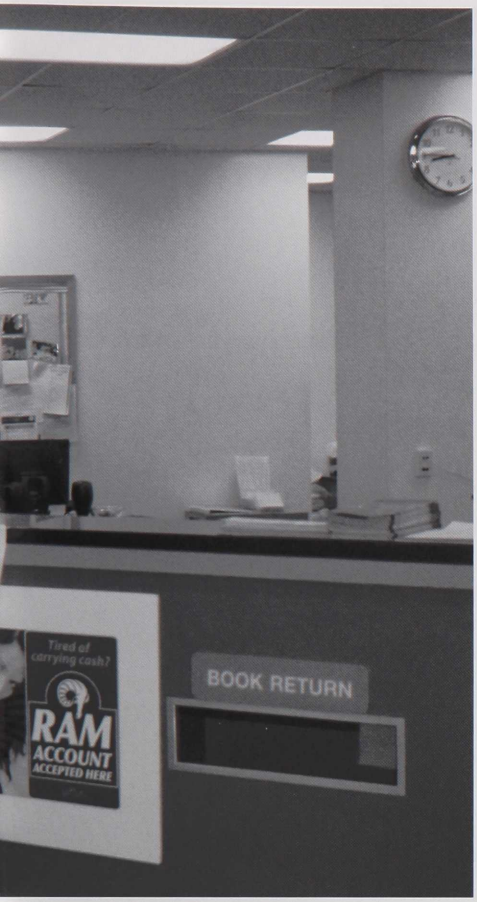


The Library

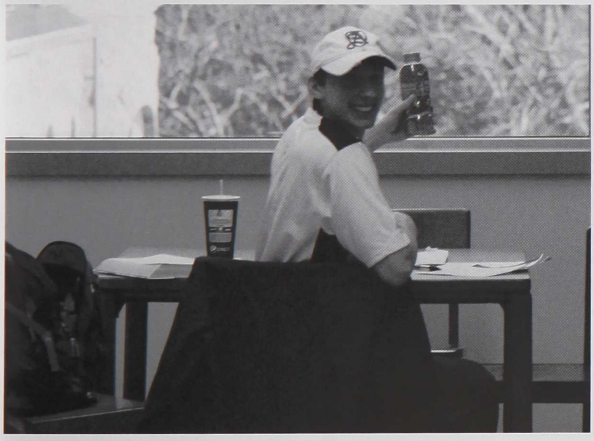
The Robert L. Carothers Library and Learning Commons, as it was renamed in 2009, was built in its current location in 1964. Since then, extensive renovations have occurred, including a two-floor addition. In 1993, enough shelf space was added for 1.4 million volumes and seating for 1,300 students, creating the look of the library that we know today.

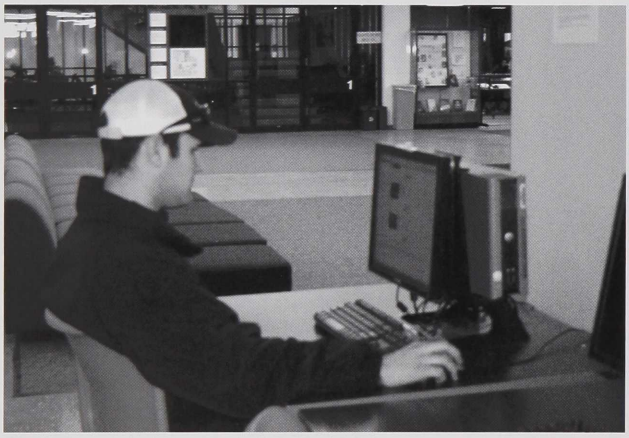


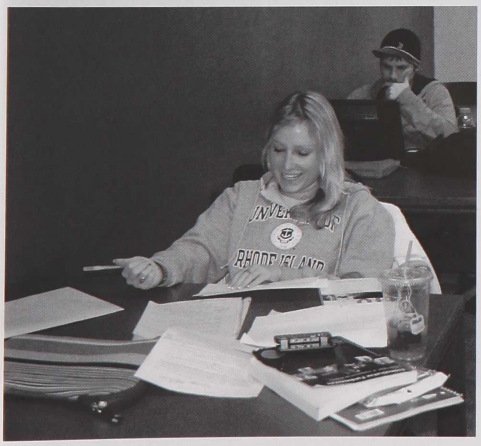
Senior Survey	
Best Places to Study on Campus	
1.	Library
2.	My Room
3.	Union
4.	Quad
5.	Bagelz

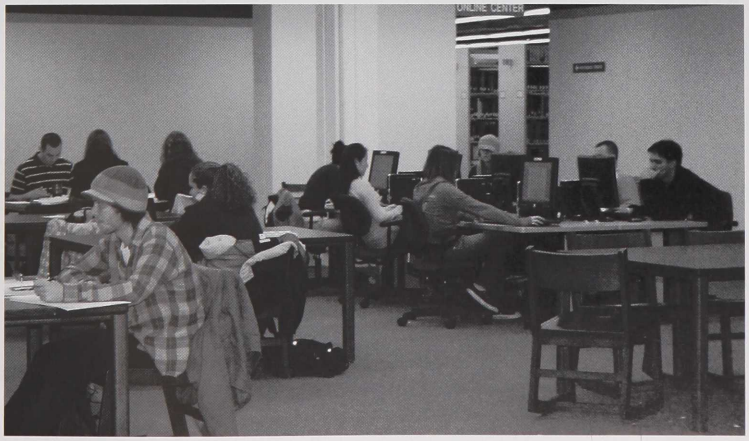


"I'm looking forward to the day when it becomes a true learning place, instead of having the random guy's name."
Nicholas Coulombe
Junior



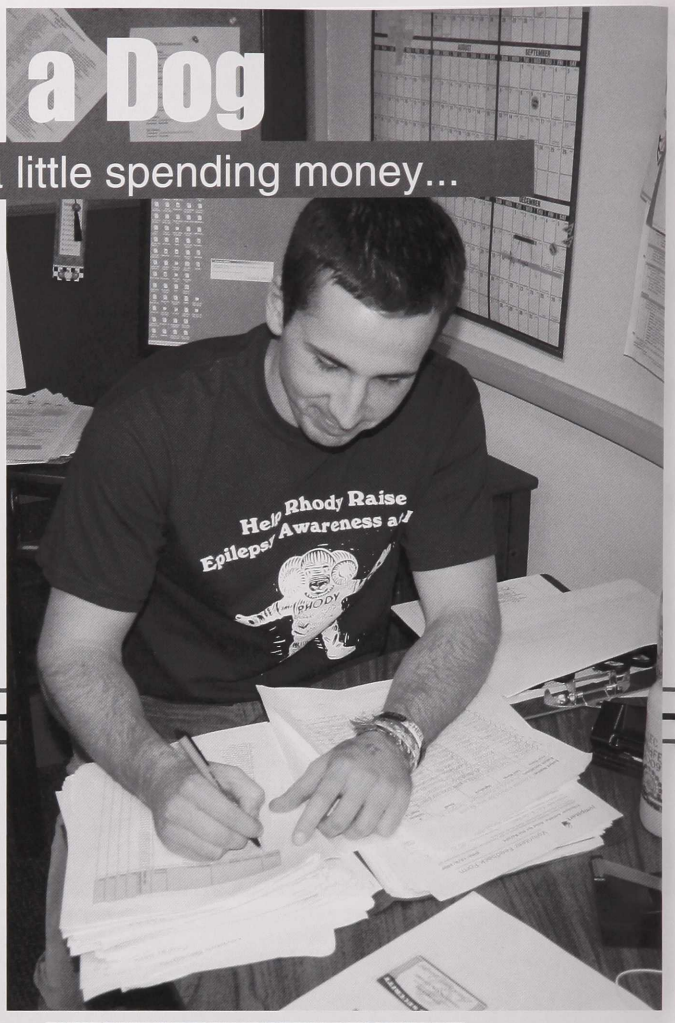






Workin' Like a Dog

Everyone can use a little spending money...



SENIOR SURVEY

Did you have a job while you were a student?

7 % were overachievers and held down a full-time job.

56 % slaved away a few hours a week at their part-time job.

37 % fell victim to the hard economic times or found themselves too busy and did not have a job.

How Do You Like Working on Campus?

"You know all the great things that are going to go on and where all the great seats are."

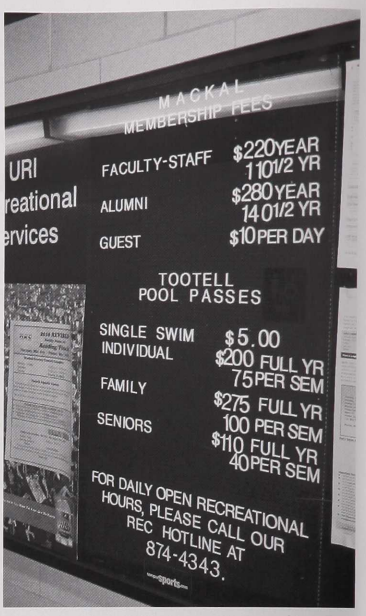
Ryan Alexander
Junior

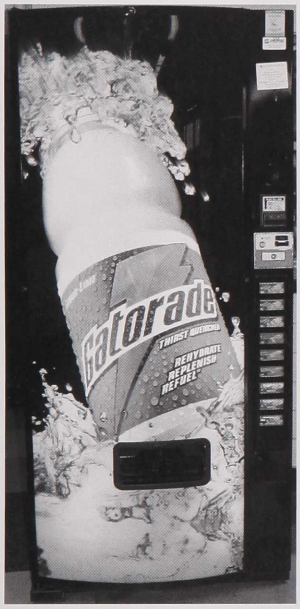
"We do the flower arranging. It's very satisfying making deliveries. I like getting to express my creativity."

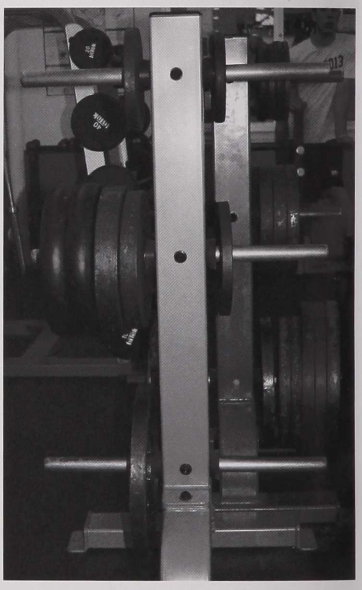
Ashley McCann,
Sophomore

THE GYM

Getting fit. Pumping iron. Having fun.

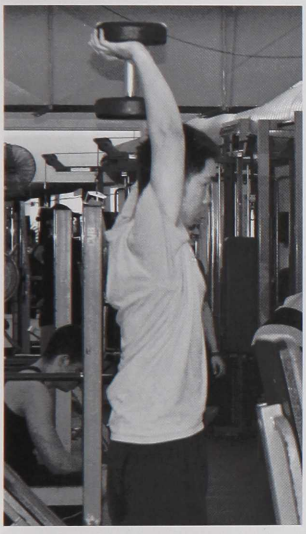






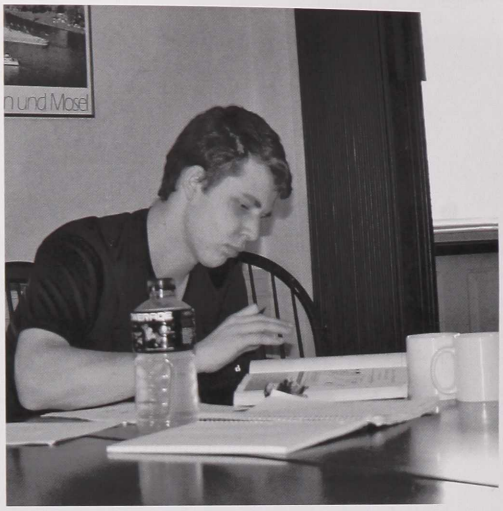
"The gym's only fun when you're here with friends."

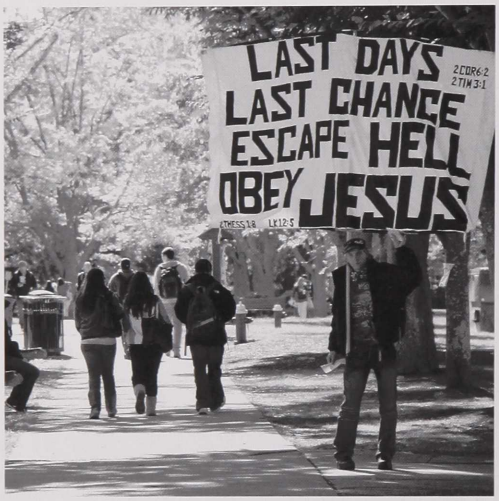
Brett Saguid
Freshman

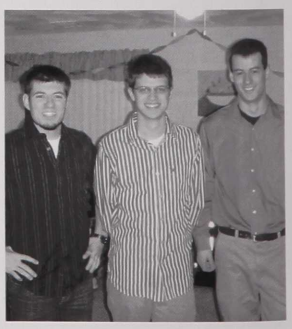


"I love working at the gym. It's a great way to meet people and it's a great motivator to work out."

Nicole Tremaglio
Sophomore







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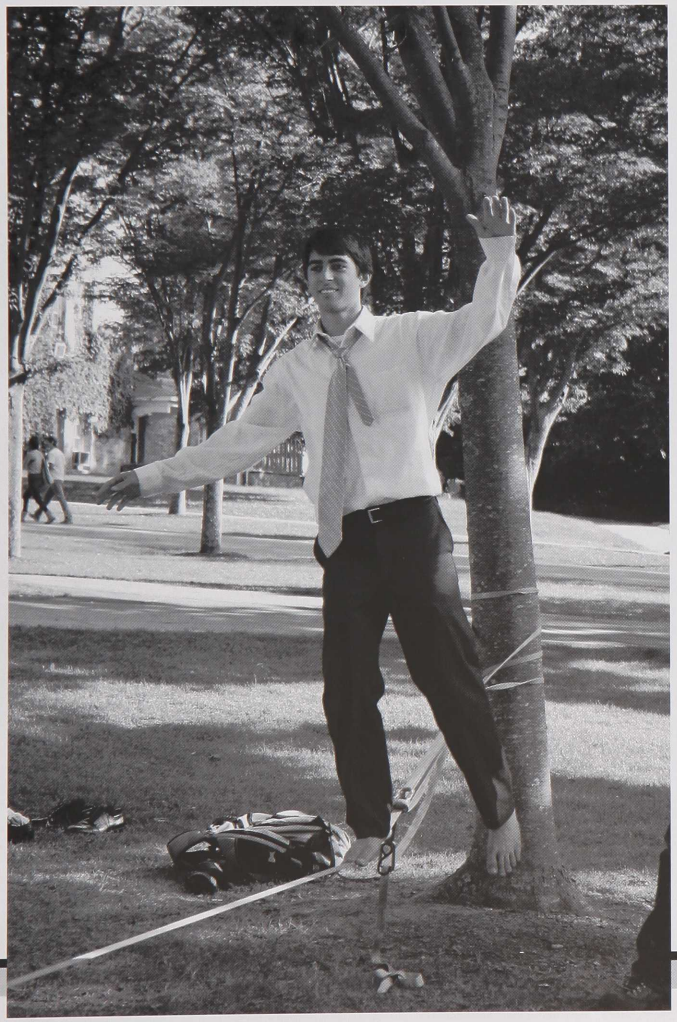

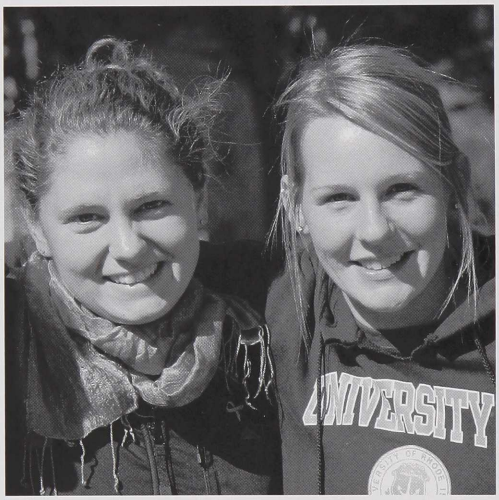

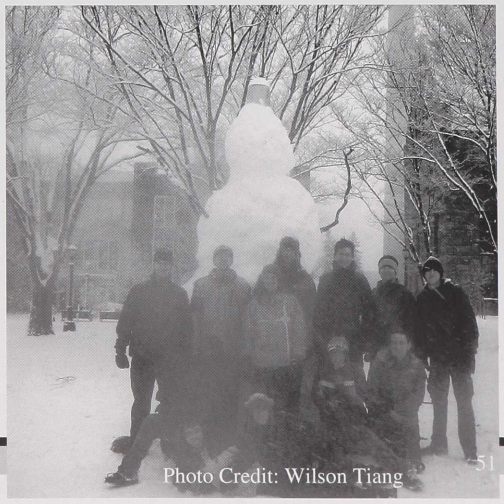

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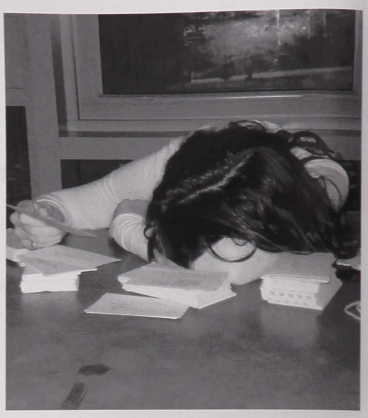

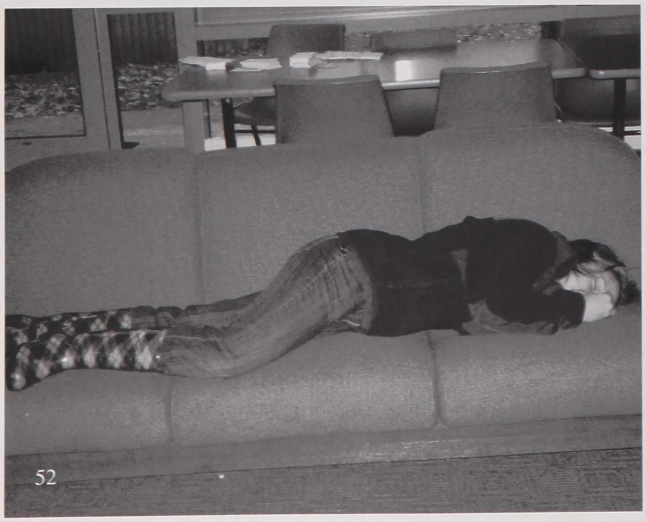

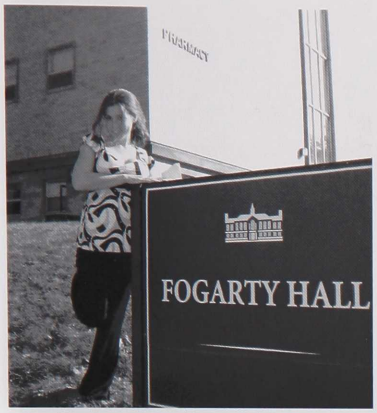

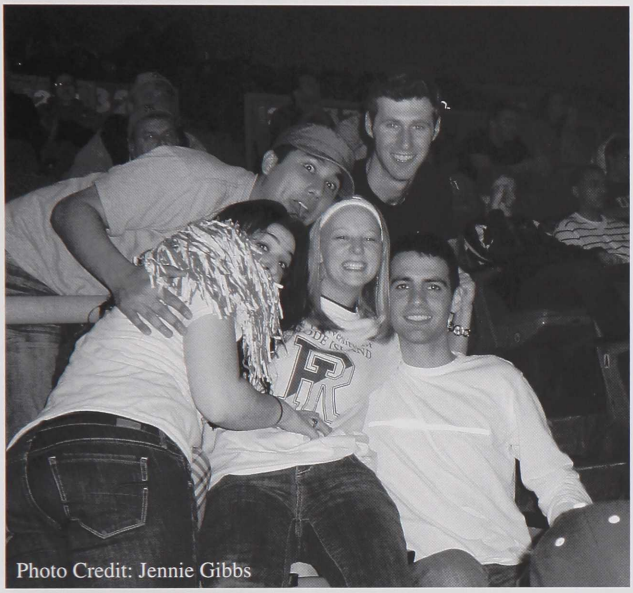

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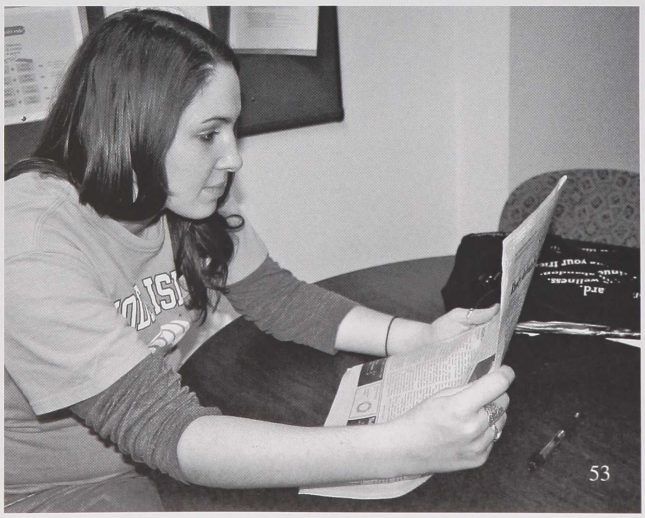

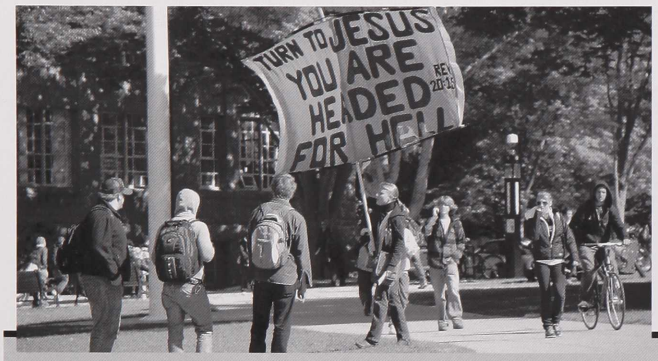

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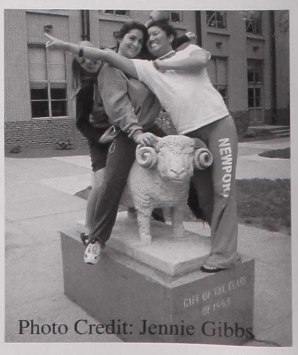

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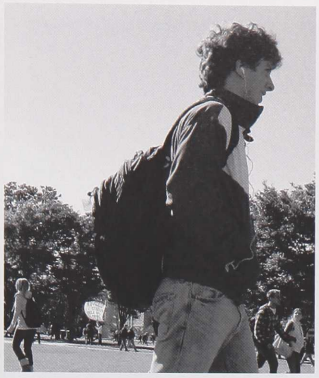

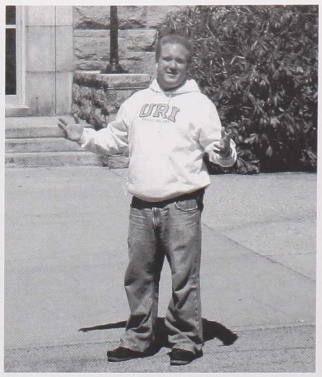

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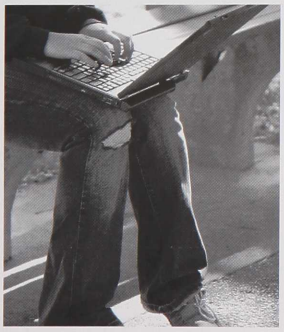

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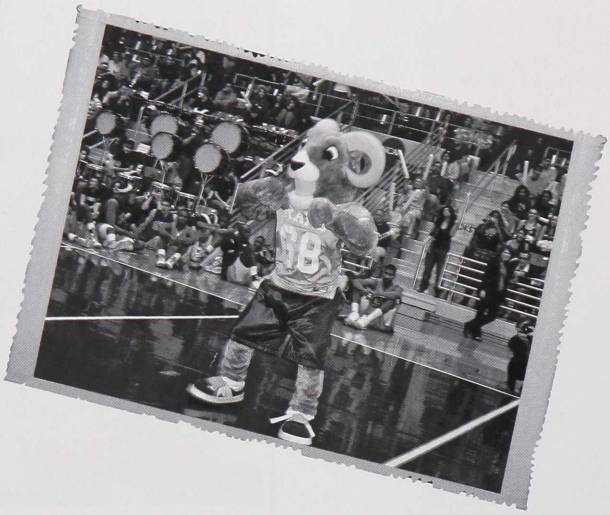

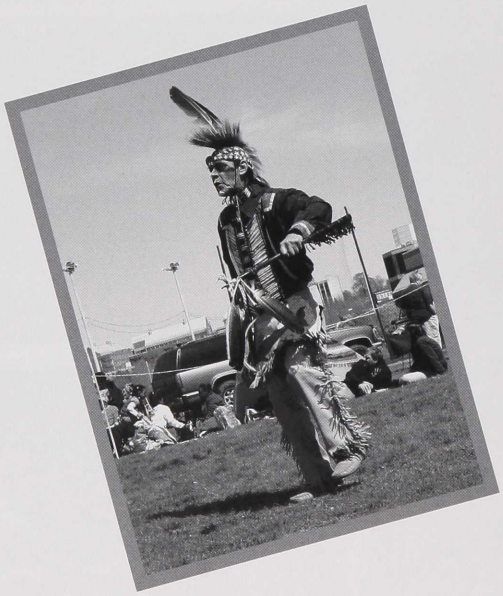

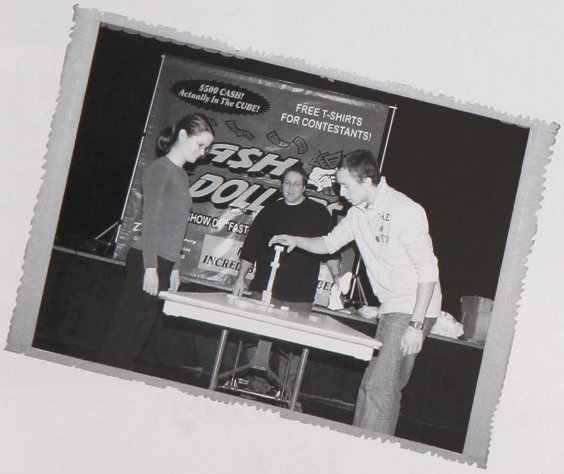
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SEPTEMBER

First Night
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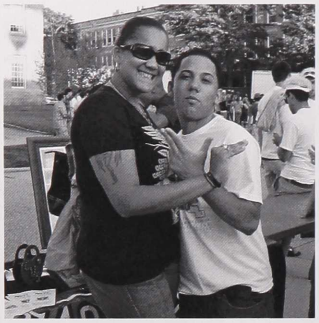

Blue's n' Cues
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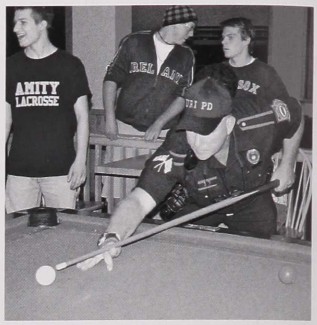
"It was cool. I liked the free pizza."
Chris Smith
Sophomore



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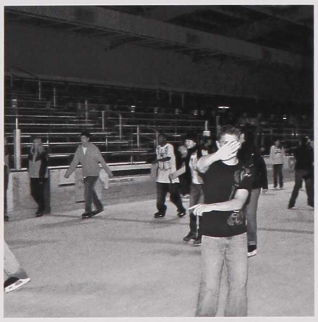
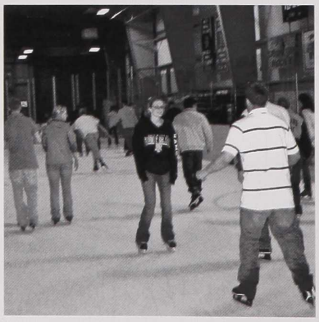
Whether a novice or a professional, URI students spent a night with friends skating at Boss Ice Arena.

Students enjoyed free pizza while playing pool with the URI Police officers at this monthly event.





Free Ice Skating
9/11

Surf and Turf
9/25

"The surf and turf festival was a quick collaboration with the musician's guild. Four bands, 500 chicken wings, and a bikini contest. What could be better?"
Rachel McCarty
Senior

"We love music. We think it's a very important thing to try to introduce the students on campus to live music. So we teamed up with the surf club to try to broaden our audience. "
Tommy Feliciano
Senior

An exciting night filled with a bikini contest and chicken wings.

The students of URI came to give the gift of LIFE!!!!!

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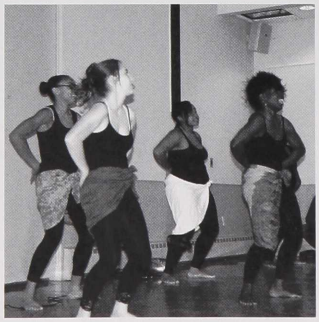
Rhode Island Blood Center

Blood Drive
9/24



Diversity Week
9/29-10/5

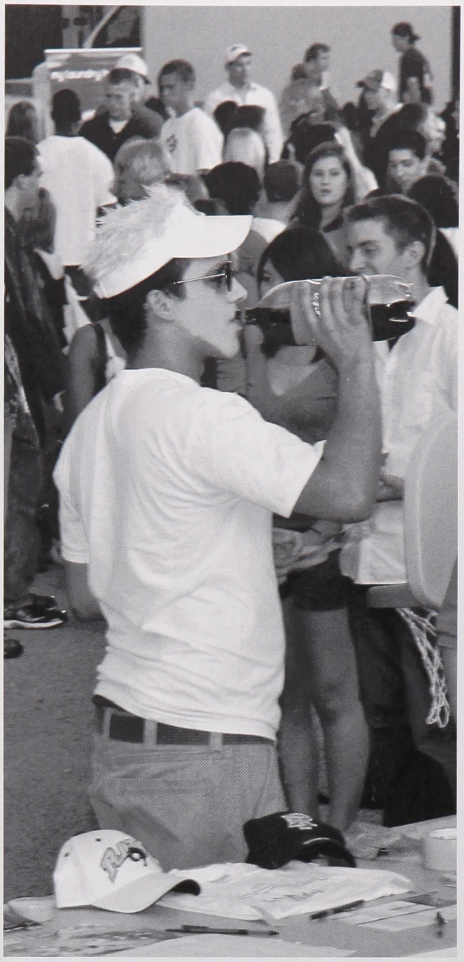
The Adventure Begins

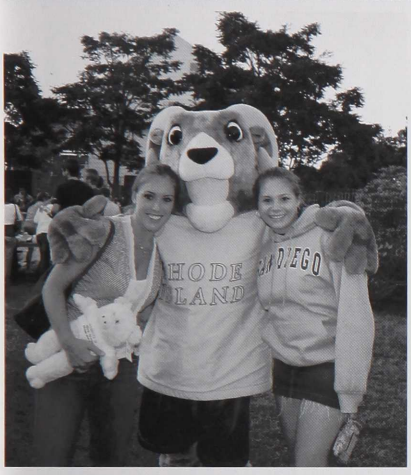
First Night, September 6th

As the campus filled with incoming freshman, URI welcomed them with First Night. It kicked off an entire welcome week for the newbies. The Office of Student Involvement, in conjunction with several other organizations, provided a fun filled night with free food, activities, and all around fun. Freshman were able to meet members from many student organizations, opening up the many possibilities to connect and become familiar with the URI campus. Additionally freshman were able to meet and greet each other, forming connections to last for the years to come. Later that night, freshman were entertained with a psychic show.

"I think first night rocks! It's so much fun and something new every year."
Danielle Ouellette, left and Amanda Waldeck, right
Sophomores

"I really like first night. I think it's really cool."
Megan Evans
Junior

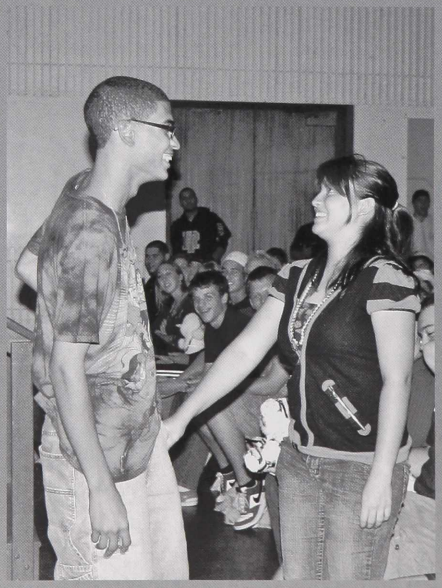




Jim Karol

The Psychic Madman Show

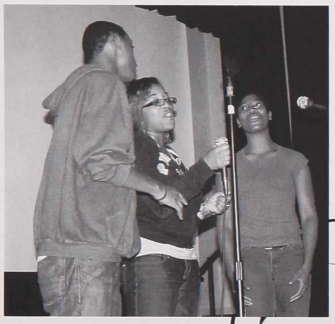
"It was good. I was really surprised when he knew the number on my card. I thought they were all with him."
-Holly Bertram
Senior



Diversity Week

Awakening our global perspective

Diversity Week celebrates the importance of diversity and identity in higher education, in the workplace, in the community, and in the global arena.



"Considering it was my first time, I've never been so scared. In the spirit of diversity week, I decided to go outside of my box and try something new."
-Kristen Reis, Freshman

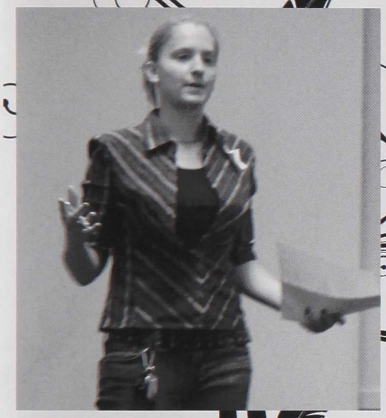
"I thought it was awesome. It was a great way to bring everyone together to show who everybody is as an individual."
-Tia Meneses, Freshman

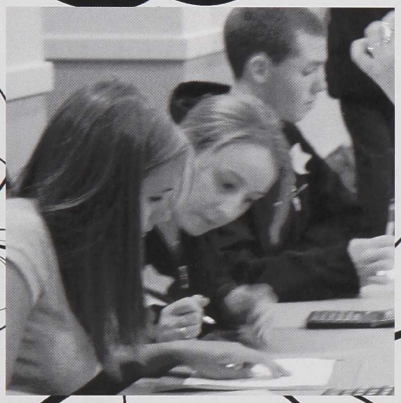
Open Mic in the Memorial Union Ballroom

Songs of Social Justice

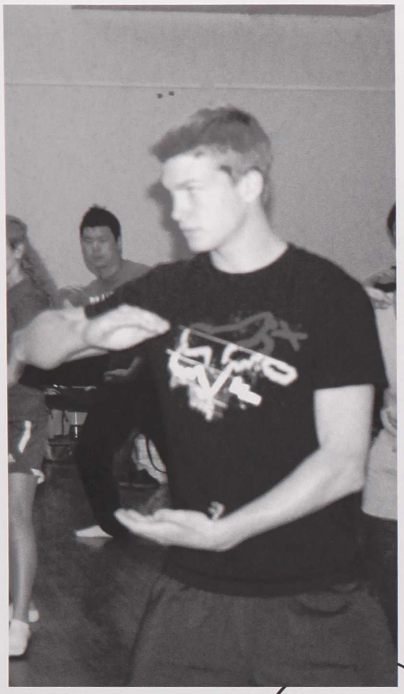
"It's a success to get everybody to know about different issues."
-Denise Dujon, Junior

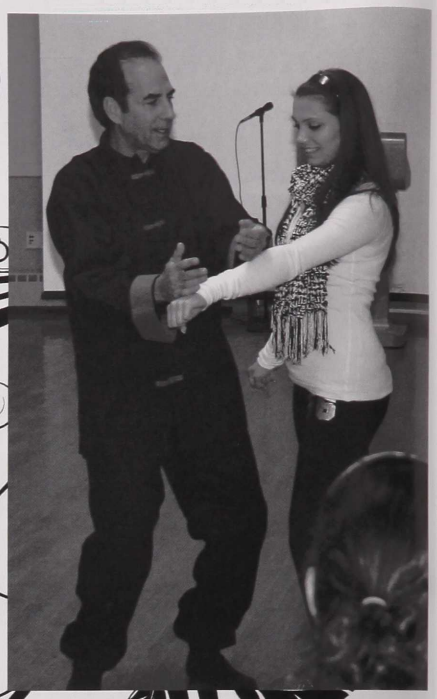
The Haves and the Have Nots



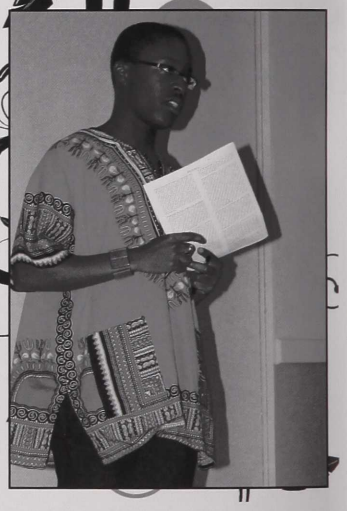


"I'm hoping to get out of this a better understanding of different cultures and the way people live their lives."
-Madeline Delehanty
Freshman



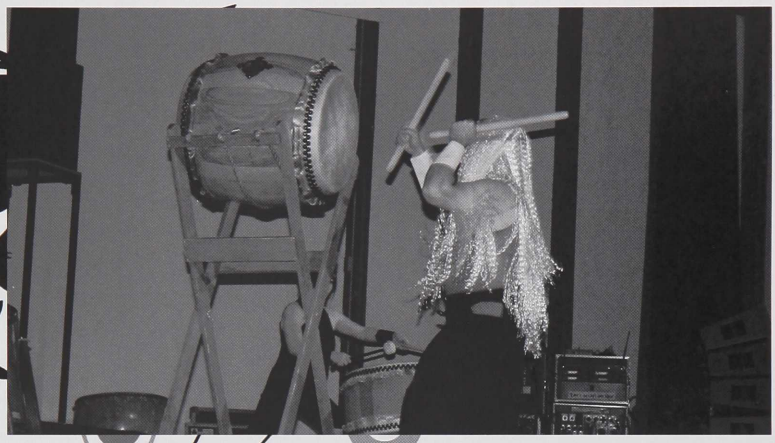


Introduction to T'ai chi



"We wanted to put tonight's event on to promote part of African culture to the URI community."
-Samuel Aboh, Senior

The Origins of African Dance



Pangaea: Featuring Odaiko New England

"It's so inspirational. I feel the music in my soul!"
-Cassandra Mullins
Sophomore

OCTOBER

Chinese Moon Festival
10/3

"Moon festival is a time where everyones gets together and spends the evening with each other."
Phouthone Malayphone
Freshman

Students experienced the Chinese version of American Thanksgiving.

Rhody Rally
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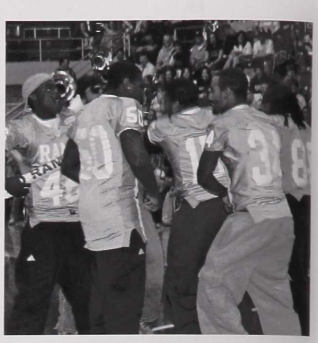

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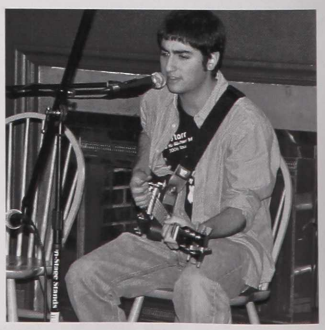
Biology got a new building, why shouldn't Pharmacy?

College of Pharmacy Groundbreaking
10/5

Talented URI students came out to play and/or read poetry.

"People can perform music, readings (originals--poetry, etc), comedy--pretty much anything. "
Astrid Drew
Graduate '08



193° Coffee House Open Mic
10/5

Mission: Wolf
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Stuents learned how the wolf was hunted and is now starting to make its come back at this event hosted by the URI Wildlife Society.

Autumn Fest
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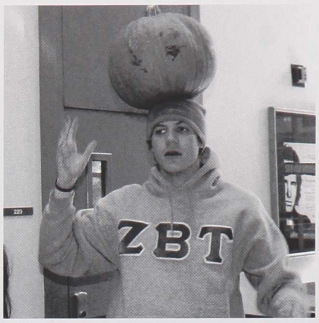

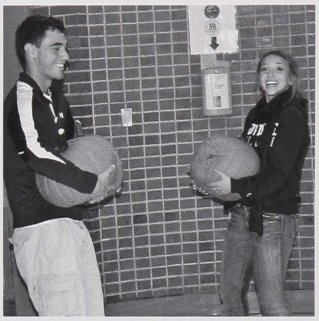

Students came to buy and carve pumpkins at Union Board's annual fall event.

Students heard Lorraine's stories about the actual Amityville Horror Case, and her experiences with ghosts.

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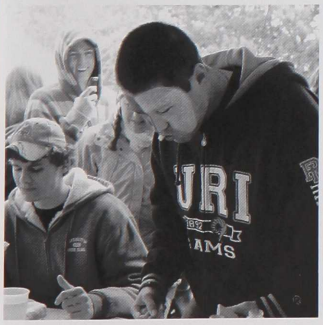


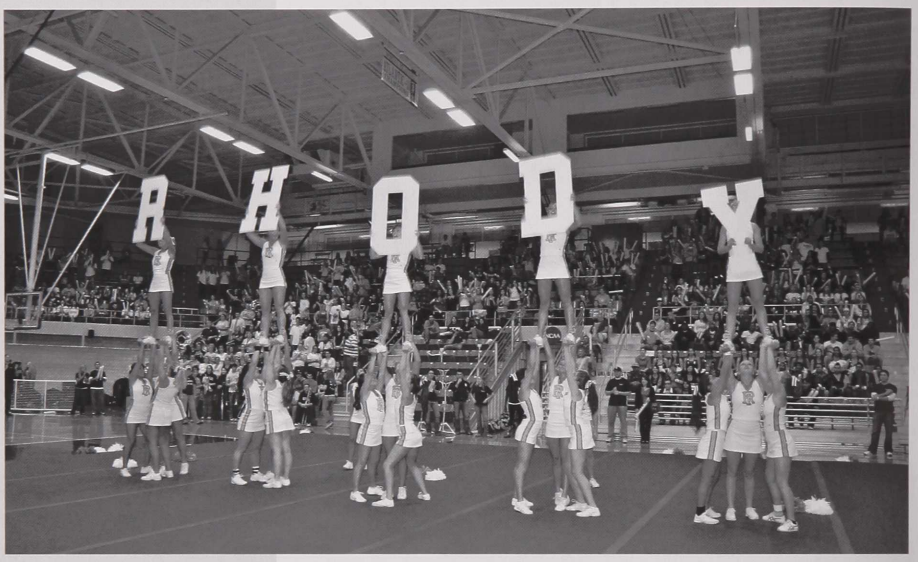
"I want her to be my grandmother."
Maggie Santangelo
Freshman

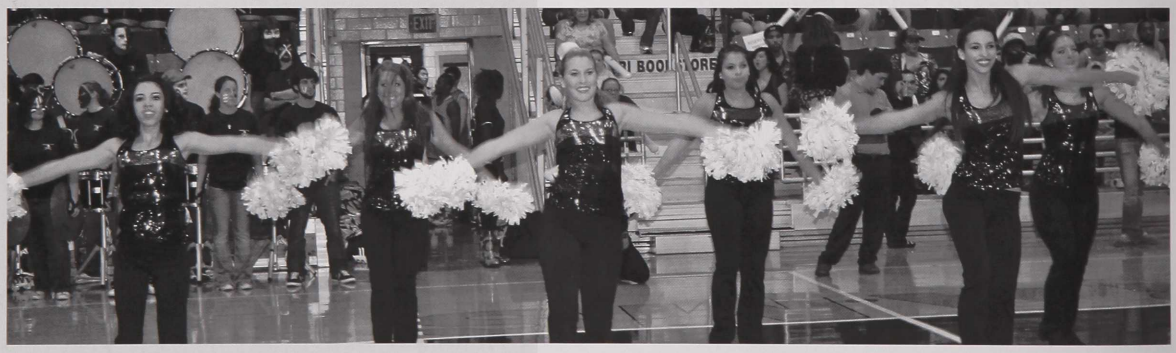
Homecoming
10/17

Lorraine Warren
10/26

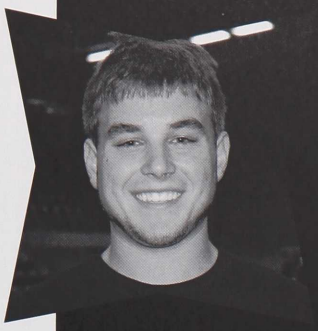
Rhody Rally

The students rallied together to start the year off right, and show their Rhody Pride. The night involved performances from URI's dance teams, band, drumline, and more. It was definitely a great way to get in the Rhody spirit. The football game the next day and the soccer game on Sunday helped end Homecoming weekend with a bang.

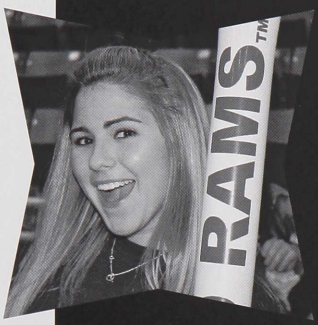




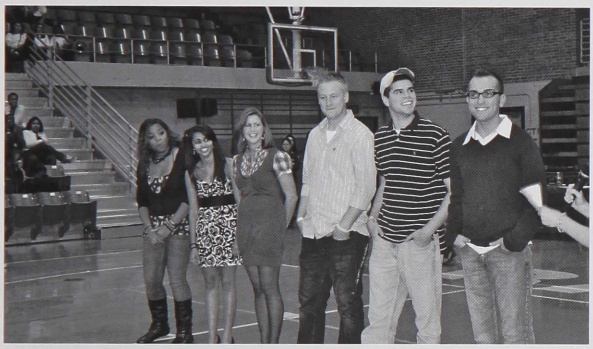
What Did the Students Think?



"I feel the night went really well. We had an incredible crowd here."
- Anthony Aiudi
Sophomore



"I loved it."
- Alexis Durfee
Freshman



"I think it's awesome. There is such a good vibe in here."
-Amanda Lessack
Freshman

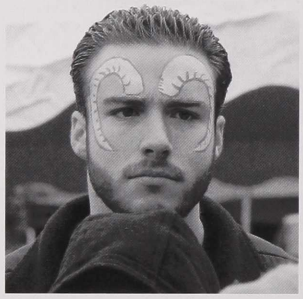
"Very peppy. I liked all the dancing. It was very entertaining. My favorite part was the drumline."
- Jennie Gibbs
Senior

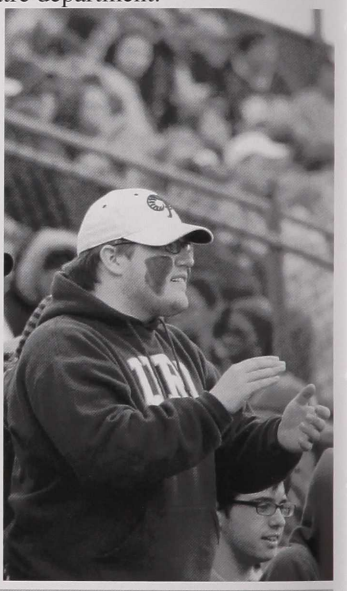
"It's phenomenal. It was a great effort. We're all out for a great cause."
- Megan Sheridan
Senior

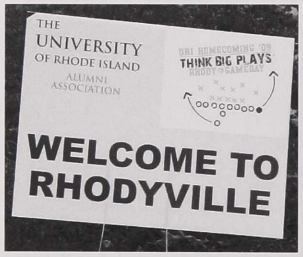
Home Sweet Home

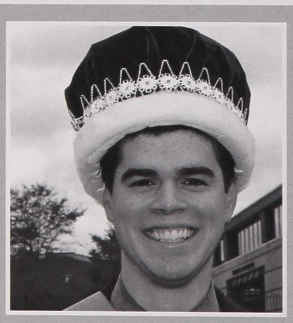
Homecoming, October 17th

Every year, around this time, many alumni return to watch the football team play. It's a great time for the students to come out and show their spirit, while enjoying the activities. The week prior to the game is a fun time for students as it leads up to the most eventful game of the season. Homecoming weekend has a variety of events for everyone to enjoy. Some of the highlights of this infamous weekend include Rhody Rally, a bonfire, fireworks, the 5K Homecoming Rhode Race, Rhodyville and much more. Unfortunately, the bonfire and fireworks were cancelled due to rain. There is something for everyone, and all those who participate always have a great time. This year's homecoming also included tailgating, mulitple sporting events, and even a performance by the URI Theatre department.









"It's a great experience. It's a cool thing because a lot of people on homecoming court know each other."

Kevin McMurray
Pharmacy 2nd year
King

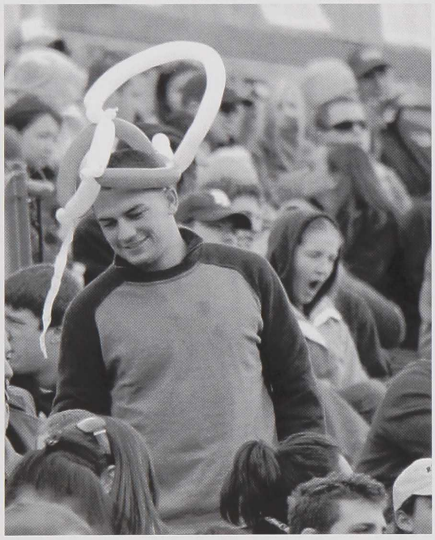
"It's kind of unbelievable. It's really nice to feel supported by all my friends here at URI."

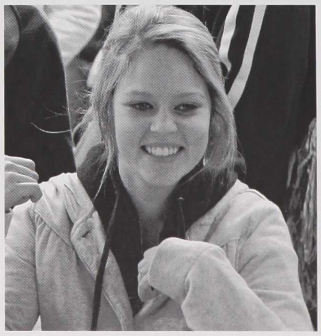
Elise Fitzgerald
Senior
Queen

Thoughts from the Students

"Homecoming is like Christmas Eve, and you're so excited."
Andrew Cadorette
Pharmacy 3rd year

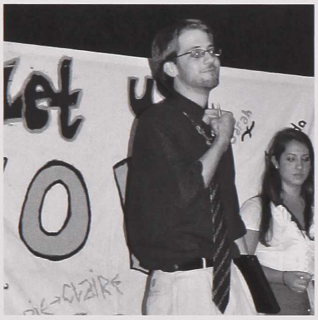
"I thought it was interesting how they all drove around honking this morning."
Tess Oshman
Freshman





November

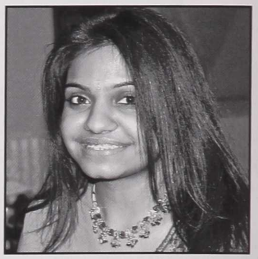
WOWW/ZBT Date Auction 11/3



"I thought it was amazing. The couples looked phenomenal. It was great to have people go for over $100."
-Matt Brum
Senior

Students bid on each other for a chance to have dinner at the Coast Guard House.

Diwali 11/7

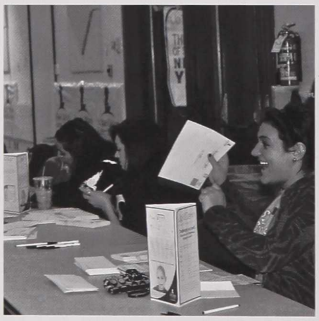


"It was awesome. Very fun and entertaining. Very cute."
-Reena Mistry
Freshman

The Indian Student Association put on a presentation to celebrate Diwali, the festival of lights.

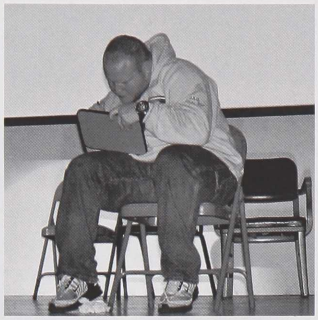
Students participated in a letter writing campaign to raise money for St. Judes Children's Hospital.

"Up 'til Dawn is an all campus party for St. Judes Children's Hospital. St. Judes provides treatment and care for children with cancer and other catastrophic diseases at no cost to their families".
-Jaime Werner
Junior



St. Judes Up 'Til Dawn 11/3

Philanthropy Week
11/14~11/19



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Christina Knoll organized a student protest to help put an end to all of the hate crimes that have happened on campus this year.

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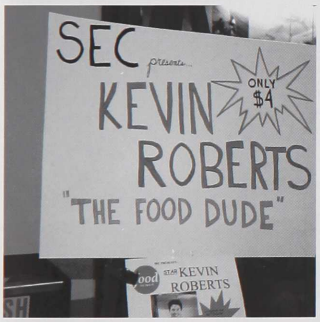
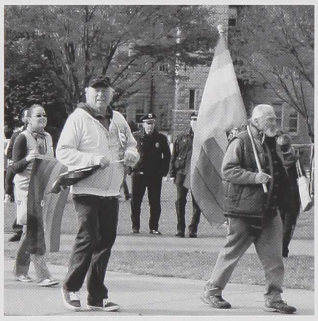
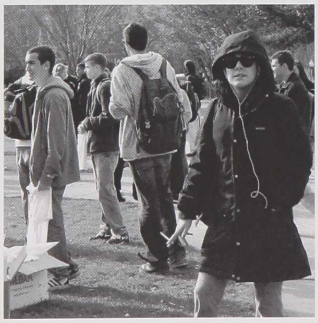


Fall Frenzy
11/9~11/20





"It's important for these people to get the message that their actions are not okay and will not be accepted here."
-Cortney Sheehan
Senior

Stop the Hate
11/18

Fall Frenzy

The students of URI got into the spirit of fall with the plethora of events that occurred over these (almost) two weeks. Events included visits by Kevin Roberts, aka the "Food Dude," Sean Astin, Lauren Conrad, and much more.

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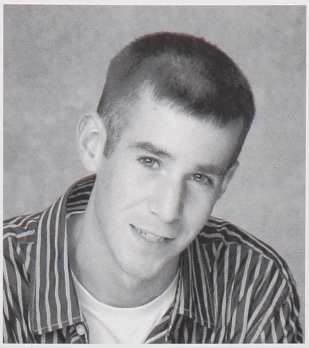
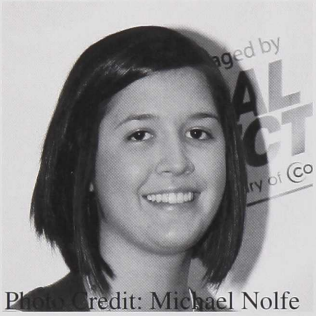


"Our Fall Frenzy '09, we're bringing a lot of diverse events, that's what SEC does, we try to reach out to everyone. I mean think about who we have coming, Lauren Conrad, Sean Astin, the Food Guy and Asher Roth. We try to reach out to all interests...it's great!"

-Timothy Viall
Freshman



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"Fall Frenzy is a time where SEC tries to put on many events to reach out diverse campus. It's a great time for students to come together and take a break from studying. Its theme was Woodstock and it was a great success! We hope to have an even bigger turnout for the Spring Fest!

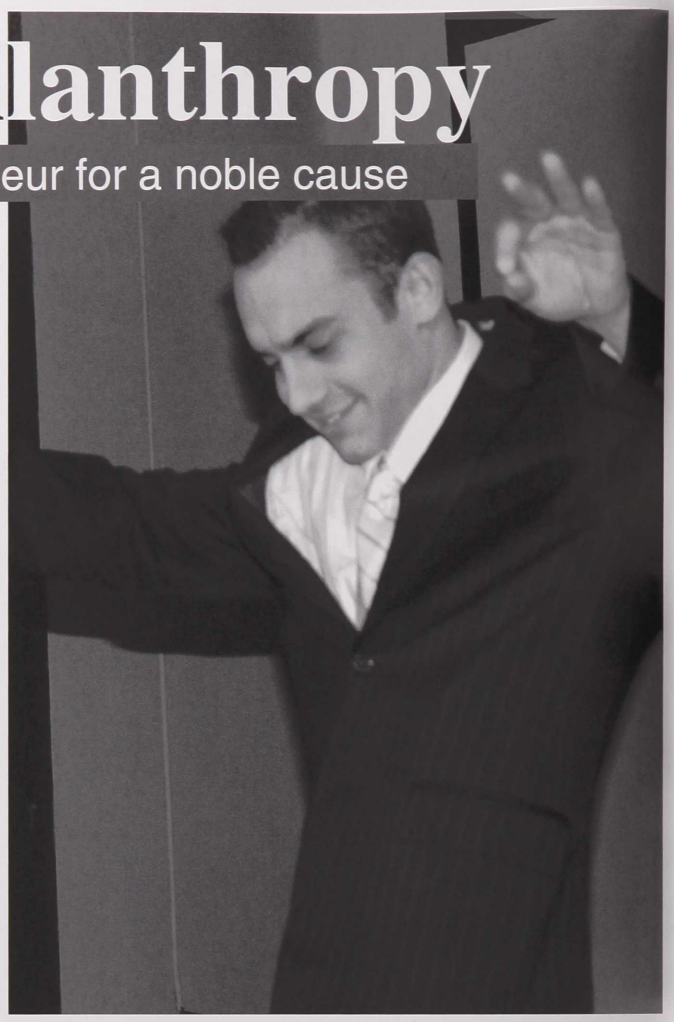
-Elena Dempsey
Sophomore

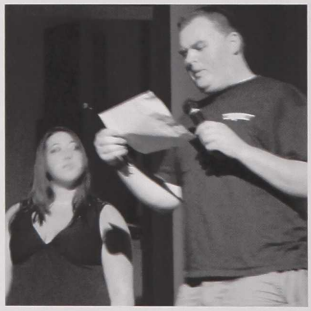
Photo Credit: Michael Nolfe

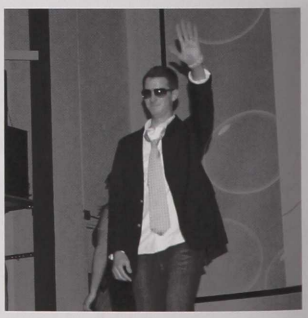
Greek Philanthropy

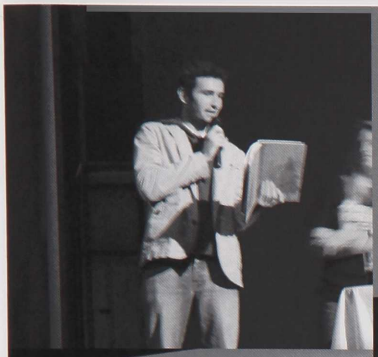
A week of grandeur for a noble cause

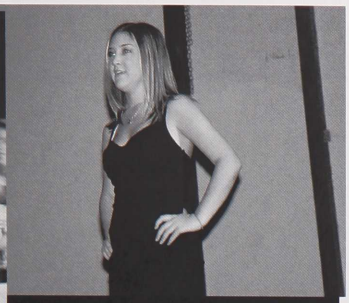
Philanthropy Week is one of the most rewarding times for the Greek System. Throughout this week there is a series of events where all Greeks come together to raise money for charitable organizations.

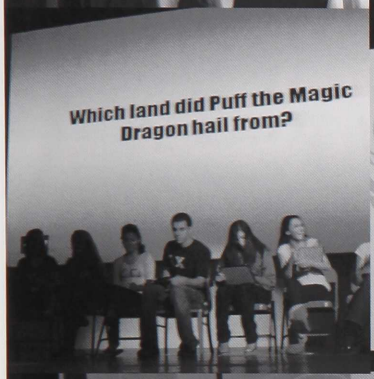


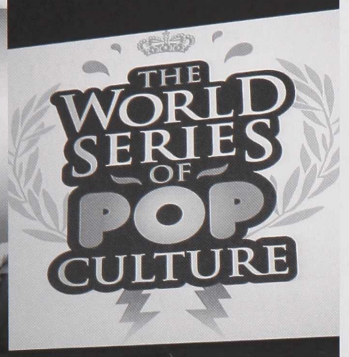












Spotlight Events

November 17: So You Think You can Dance?

November 19: The World Series of Pop Culture

November 20: Annual Date Auction

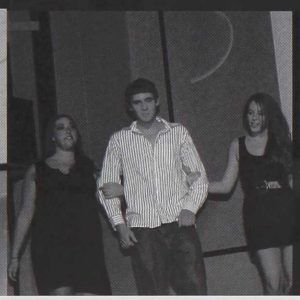
Headlines

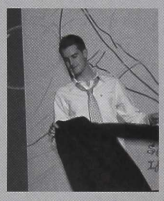
$10,500 raised to support the Urban Collaborative Accelerated Program

$1000 donated to Students Helping Students Fund

Penny Wars fundraiser

Canned food drive to benefit the Welcome House in Wakefield





"It's really exciting to represent my chapter and the Greek community to raise money for a great cause."

Danielle D'Andrea
Junior

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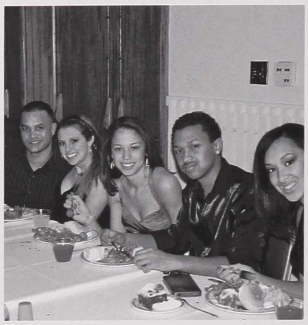
Holiday Mini Mall 12/2

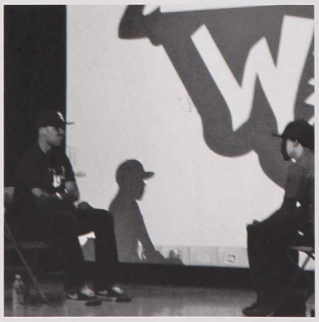
Students got a jump on holiday shopping.

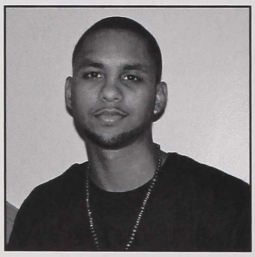
Kwanza Ball 12/5



Students celebrated Kwanza.

An entertaining show where students spent time with their friends and had some good laughs.

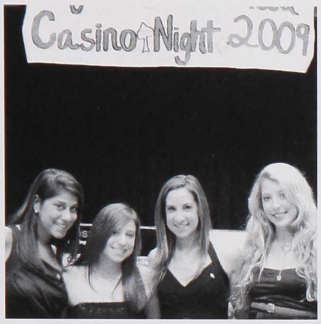




"I think it is hilarious. It met my expectations. I will definitely recommend this show to other students next time around."
-Rene Quinones
Senior

Wild n' Out Comedy 12/3

SDT Casino Night
12/5



The girls of SDT threw a great night for students that helped raise money for Prevent Child Abuse America.

EcoChic
12/7

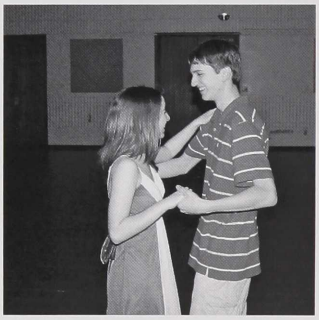
"The main purpose is to support ecofriendly and organic garments, and to raise awareness of the environment. It's also a good learning experience outside of the classroom for the students."
-Amy Levinson
Junior

These girls sported the fashion of Environmental Awareness.

SEC had a blast while bringing these battling bands to URI.

SEC Battle of the Bands
12/7

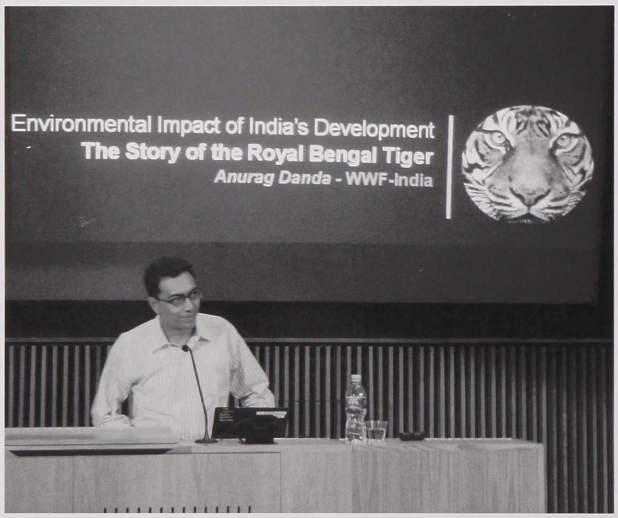
The ballroom dancing club offered a great night where students were able to learn some new moves.



Ballroom Winter Ball
12/11

Honors Colloquium:
Demystifying India

Presented by the URI Honors Program, the colloquium opened India to all. It explored India's history, culture, and society and the impact on literature, art, apparel, business, political and social movements and the environment.



Topics and Speakers:

Sept. 15- Edward Luce
India and the World

Sept. 22- John Jeffcoat
Turbulent Romance: The Trials and Triumphs of Cultural Immersian

Sept. 29- Dipesh Chakrabarty
Indian Modernity: Once Colonial, Now Global

Oct. 6- Michael Nagler
What Would Gandhi Globalize? India's Greatest Gift to the 21st Century

Oct. 13- Aseema Sinha
India: A Revolution of Rising Expectations

Oct. 20- Indira Parikh
Women in Indian Society: Literary and Empirical Evidence

Oct. 27- Gururaj 'Desh' Deshpande
Indian Entrepreneurs Abroad: Business & Social Ventures

Nov. 3- Tobias Luehrig, John S. Struck, Shivan S. Subramaniam
Doing Business In India, With India: Panel Discussion

Nov. 10- Jhumpa Lahiri
Reading from Unaccustomed Earth

Nov. 17- Rachel Dwyer
Bollywood and the World

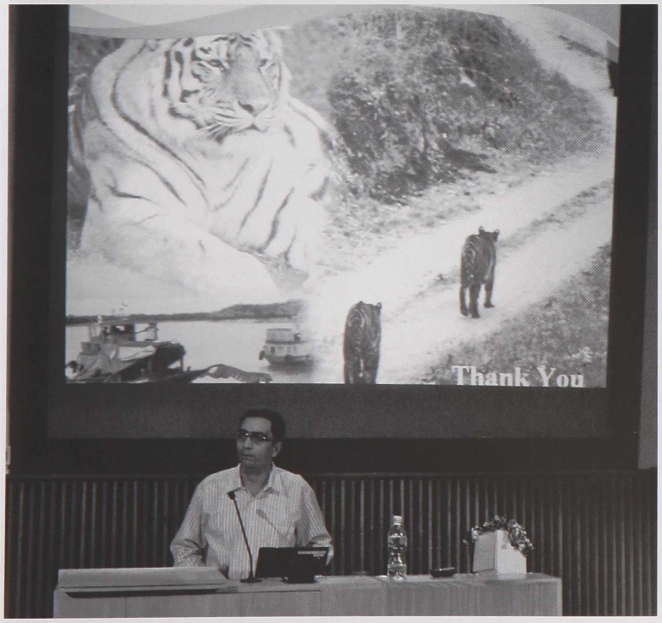
Nov. 19- Henry Glassie
The Sacred Image in Modern India
Pravina Shukla
Daily Dress in Modern India

Dec. 1- Anurag Danda
Environmental Impacts of India's Development: The Story of the Royal Bengal Tiger

Dec. 8- Neena Gulati & the Triveni Ensemble, Boston Bhangra, and URI Honors Students
Celebrating India through Dance: Divine Rhythms & Folk Expressions

"I never realized how diverse India was, but I'm really glad I had the opportunity to learn about it. My favorite part was learning how to dance."

Theresa Murphy
Sophomore



"The colloquium was an exciting platform that brought together many disciplines, everything from economics to art and philosophy. In my mind, URI really got students to think big!"

Erica Richard
Senior

FEBRUARY

Dash for Dollars
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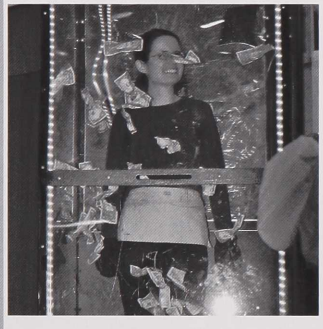

"It was really cool. Very fun and simple."
-Charlie Leitao
Senior

Brought to campus by the Memorial Union Board of Directors, students participated in different games to earn some easy pocket money.

Chinese New Year
2/13

"We loved it. We're all music majors so we've learned about all these instruments in class so it's cool to see them."
-Celia Tafuri
Sophomore

The Confucius Institute sponsored performances by China's Ningbo Performing Art Academy.

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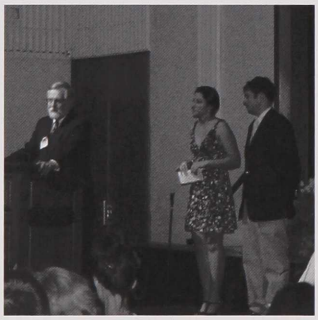

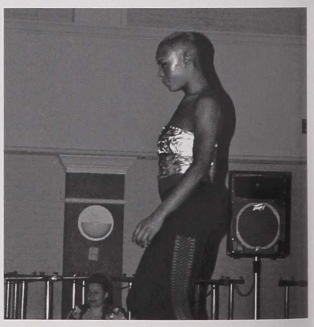

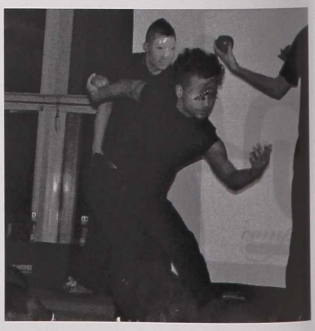

URI Helping Haiti
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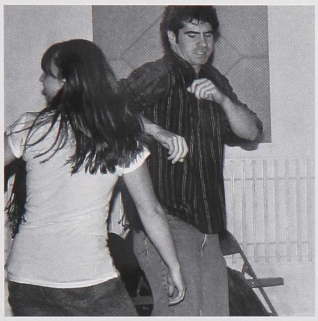
Rhodypalooza
2/26

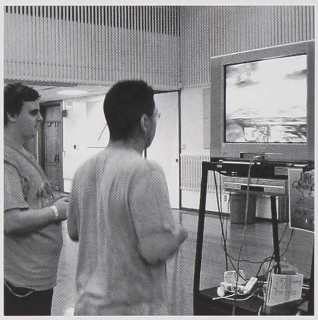


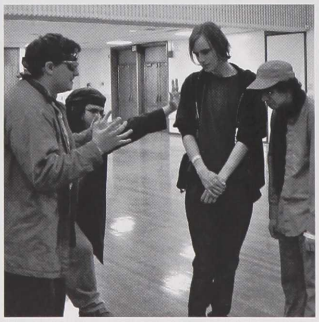
The URI Musicians Guild sponsored this event where five bands played as part of a fundraiser for Haiti.

These students took the stage, showing off their hairstyles with pride.

Playing games and hanging out are what these students are all about.

"You're not single nanner locking hard enough."
-Ian Tompkins
Sophomore





SAWA Hair Show Extravaganza 2/18

Gaming Convention 2/26-2/28

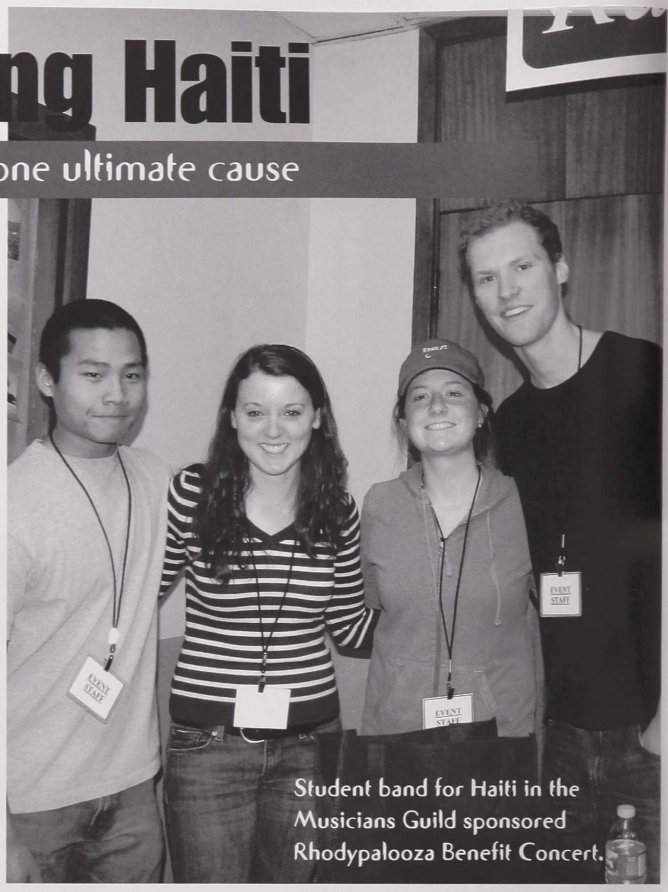
URI Helping Haiti

One university, one ultimate cause

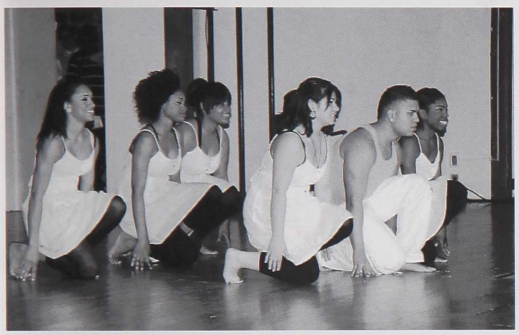
The catastrophic earthquake in Haiti triggered a nationwide call for aid. Throughout several months, students held creative events and fundraisers with a single goal of helping Haiti.

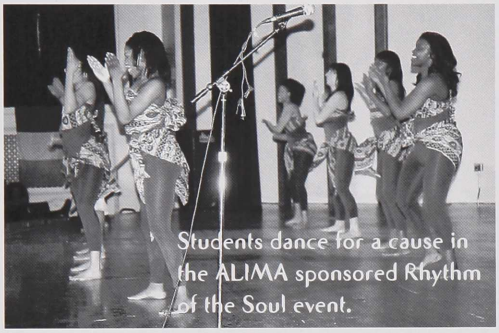
"The event's going great. Great turnout, especially from the non-URI community. It's been a great night, with two benefit shows going on at the same time."

Ludy Gonzalez, Senior



Student band for Haiti in the Musicians Guild sponsored Rhodypalooza Benefit Concert.





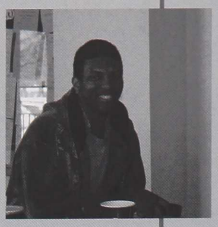
Students dance for a cause in the ALIMA sponsored Rhythm of the Soul event.

"I enjoy watching the Rhythm of the Soul show every year because it celebrates my culture and helps the surrounding community to see a glimpse of just how great Africa is."

Yewande Mohammed
Senior

Spotlight Events

-Feb. 17: Endeavor leaves to do research in Haiti
-Feb. 20: Men's basketball game (donation night)
-Feb. 24: A Night for Haiti
-Feb. 26: Rhodypalooza Benefit Concert
-Mar. 17: ALIMA Rhythm of the Soul
-Apr. 2: eXposure Multi-Cultural Dance Group



MARCH

Rail Jam 3/4

" I think it's a great way for all the snowboarders and skiers to show their stuff. They can win some cool prizes and get some free stuff. The fact that there are sponsors and people of all ages is pretty neat. I think they've had a pretty good turnout so far tonight."
-Brittany Campbell
Senior

Snowboarders and skiers got to grind with some snow on the quad.

Hillel Comedian 3/5

Hillel brought a comedian to loosen up some of the student body.

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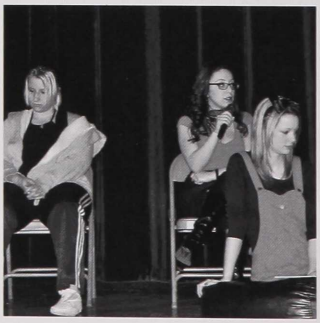


Vagina Monologues 3/4

Battle of the Bands 3/12

Many students took the opportunity to rock out in Edwards Auditorium before spring break.

Last Comic Standing 3/29

"It's really fun. I don't really look at this like a competition. It's really cool that a lot of people showed up."

Ben Keefe
Junior

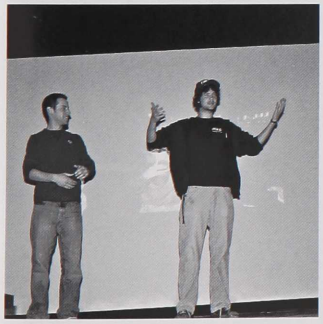
"I felt good. It was fun. It would have been great to win. It was a good group of comics."

Ludy Gonzalez
Senior

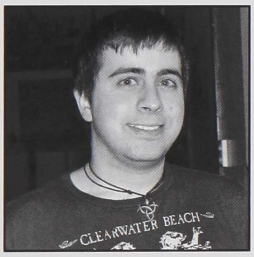
An entertaining battle of comedians for the chance to perform again at Relay for Life and free admission to all Springfest events.

A great night of bidding on the pharmacy guys for a fun-filled date night.

Pong and Rockstars! What could be better?



Kappa Psi Date Auction 3/8

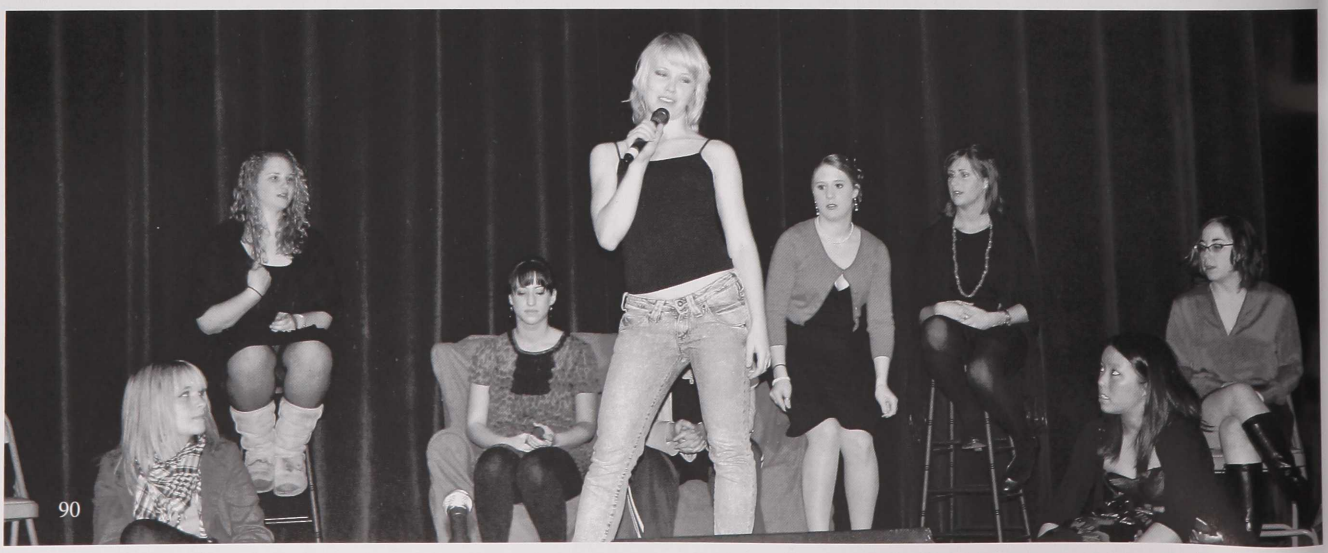


"Overall it went really well. In the end the one who really benefits from this event is the American Cancer Society."
-Jason Carvalho
Pharmacy 2nd year

Theta Chi Water Pong Tournament 3/15

Vagina Monologues

As a part of V-Day at URI, several performances of the Vagina Monologues were held to raise money to help stop violence against women. With monologues including "The Woman Who Loved to Make Vaginas Happy" and "The Vagina Workshop," the issues were presented in an unorthodox yet entertaining manner.



"It's a great fundraiser for the peer advocates and helps to spread awareness."

Gregory Borrelli
Senior

"It was my second time seeing the show. I thought that there was a great amount of energy among the cast for such controversial topics. They did a great job!"

Jennifer Velleco
Senior

"I think it's great because it brings together a whole bunch of people from all over URI. We all work on this big project and it's wicked fun."

Ashley Pincins
Pharmacy 3rd year

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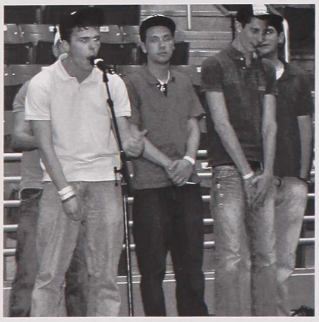

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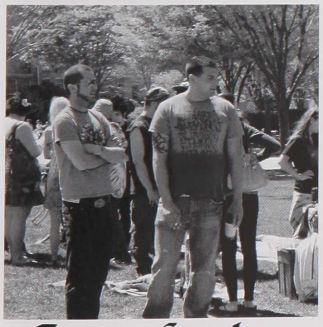

Hempfest
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FMS Fashion Show
4/30

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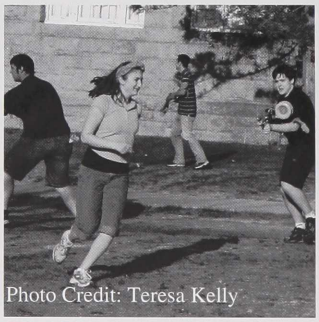
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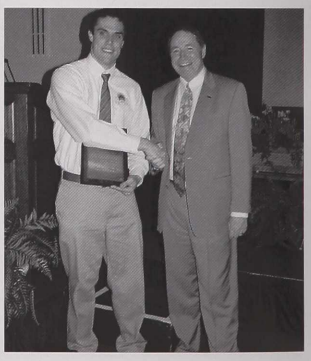
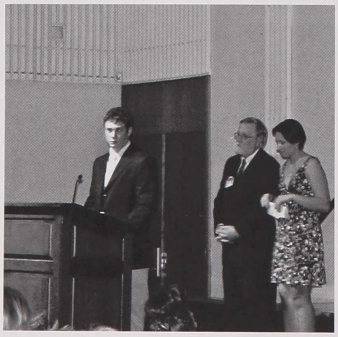


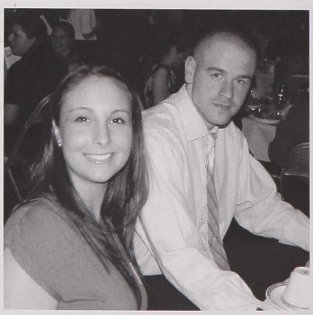
Rainville Winners:
Student Leadership:
Mathew Burak

Servant Leadership:
Brandon Brown

Student Employee:
Steven Schuh

Team Leadership:
SMAC-Students for a
More Accessible Campus





"It's an amazing honor. For only being recognized for a year and a half, it really shows how dedicated we are. I couldn't be more proud of this organization."

Krista Simeone,
Junior

"I'm in awe of all the amazing people here at URI and was truly honored to be part of this night."

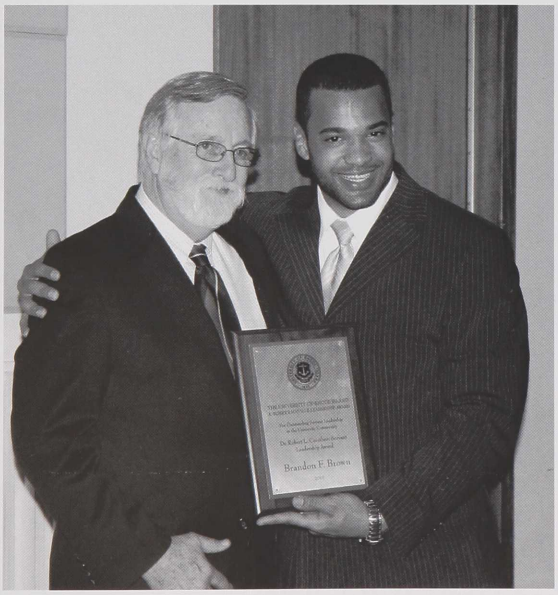
Rebecca Davis,
Pharmacy 3rd year

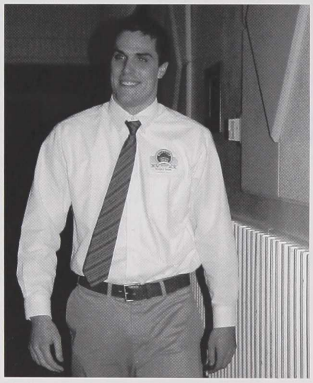
"I have attended the Rainville Awards ever since I was a freshman, and look forward to it every year. To be a finalist with so many great leaders is an honor. I am humbled about the great work we do as leaders of the University of RI, and am constantly inspired."

Matthew Brum,
Senior

"Take every opportunity you can. If you don't, you'll never know what it could have been."

Steven Schuh,
Senior



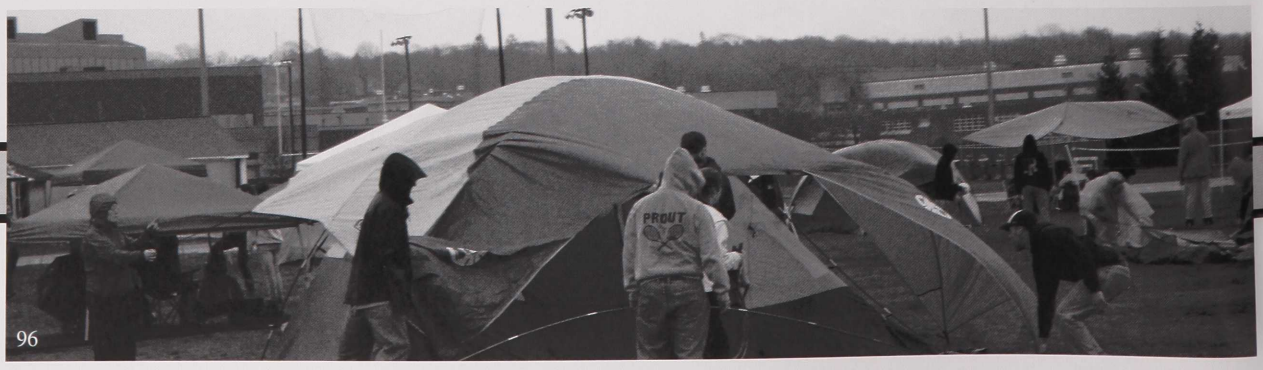


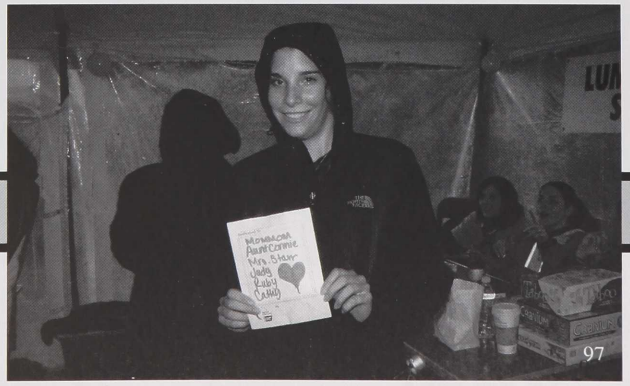
Relay For Life

Relay for Life gets all kinds of students involved in fighting for life as they walk the night away for a cure for cancer.

"Relay is a really great cause, and I'm so happy to be a part of it!"

Becky Hall
Sophomore

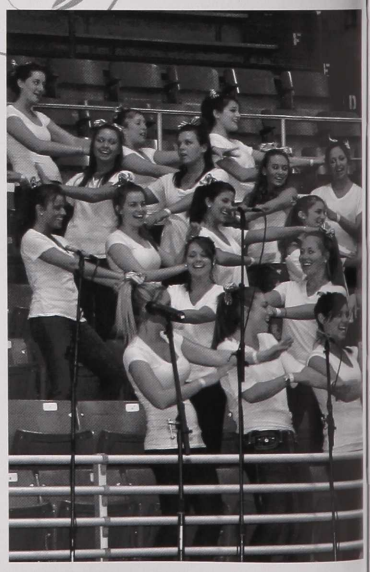




Greek Week

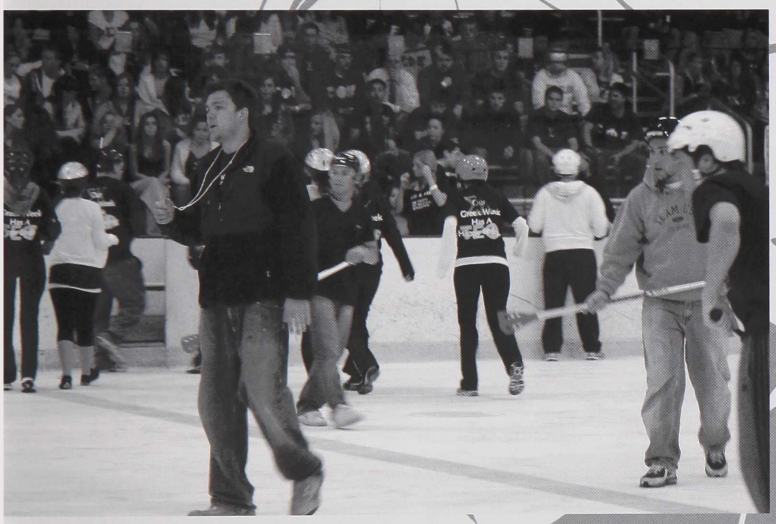
Greek Week is a weeklong series of athletic events and entertainment through which the fraternities and sororities raise thousands of dollars each year for national and local charities. Money is raised primarily through admission tickets, which are sold for each of the major events. Greek Week is a longstanding tradition that has occurred during each spring semester at URI for over 60 years. This year, Chi Phi and Gama Xi Delta dominated as the winners of Greek Week.

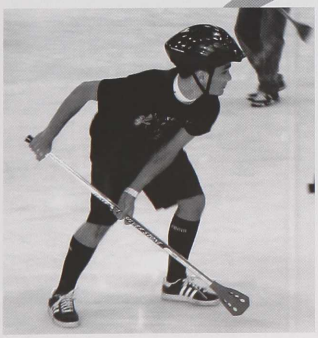
Greek Sing

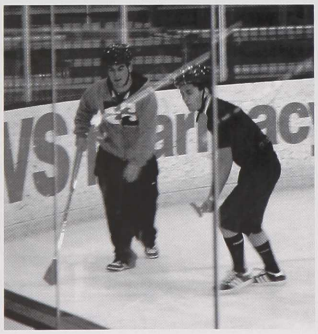


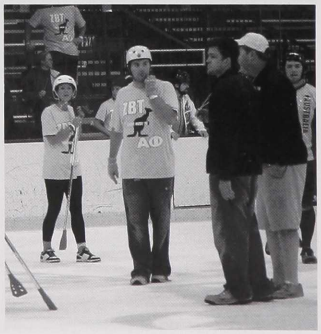
April 11th: Opening Day
April 12th: Hot Shots,
Mr & Ms. Greek Week
April 13th: BroomBall
April 14th: Slip'n'Slide Bowling
April 15th: Greek Sing
April 16th: Book Drive, Eat-Off,
Lip Sync

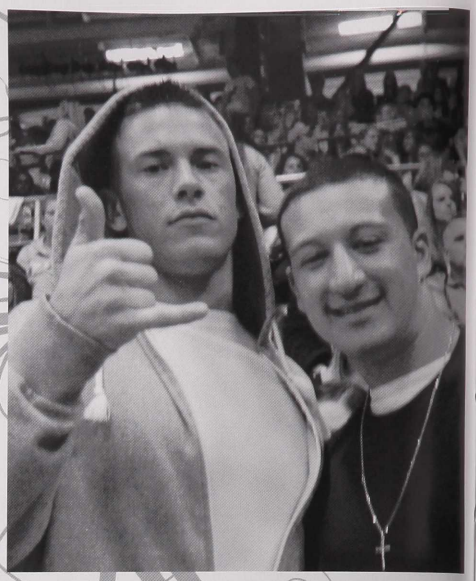
Broom Ball

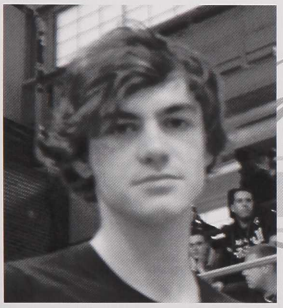






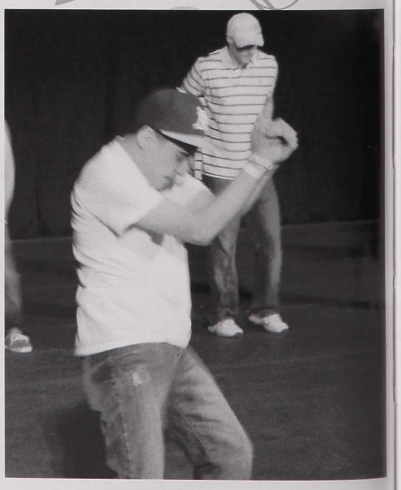


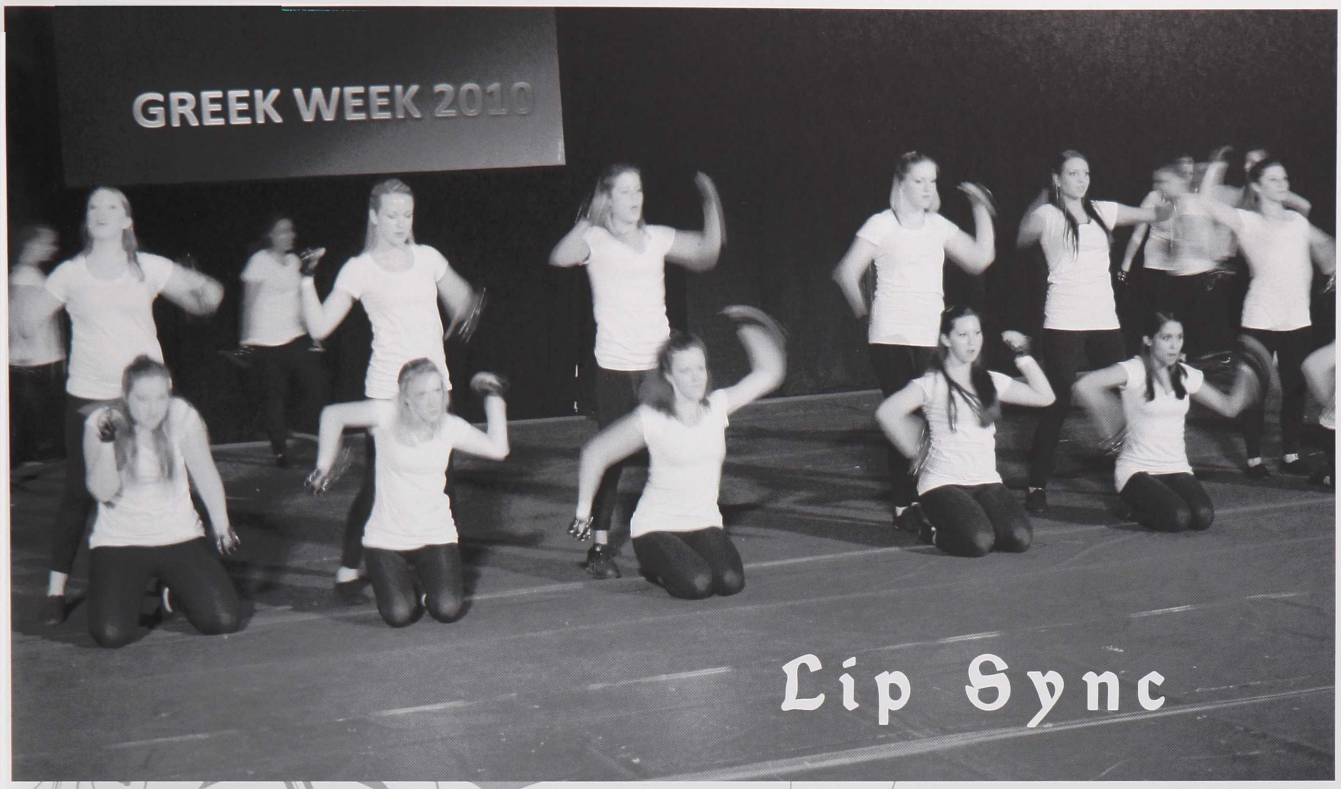




"Greek Week was a lot of fun. It's a community builder."

Nick Kozlowski
Junior

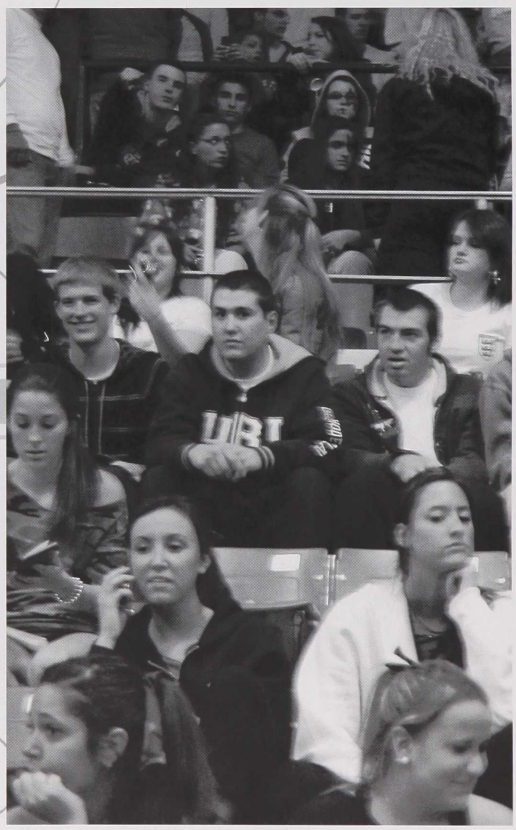




Lip Sync

"It brought our sisters closer together."

Andi Marchetti
Freshman

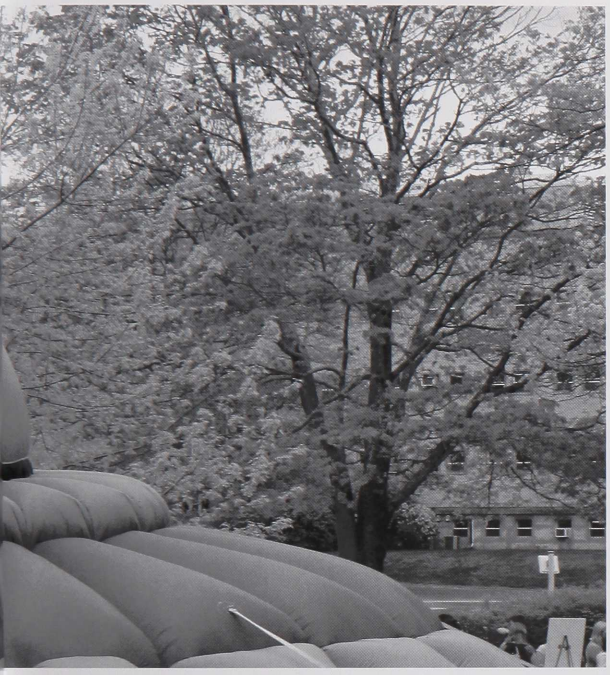


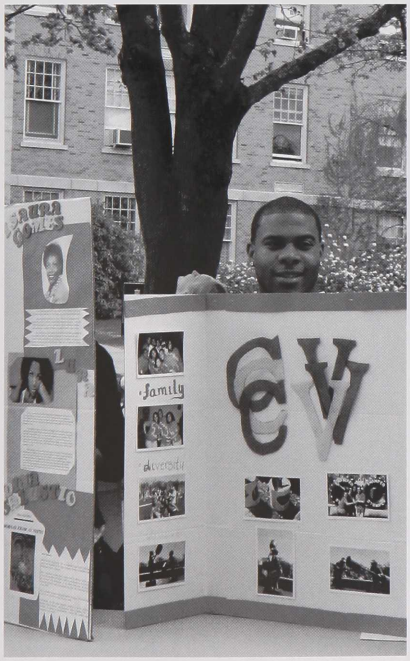
Block Party

Students took some time off from their stressful schedules and enjoyed the festivities of the Memorial Union Board of Director's Annual Block Party. An alien loomed outside the Union as the Block Party went on, and many clubs set up booths to promote their activities for the fall. Students played laser tag in the lower part of the inflatable alien, and enjoyed other attractions including palm reading, Stuff-It Animals, a mechanical bull, tattooing, and tons of free food.

"Whoever thought of this was brilliant."

Elanah Chassen
Freshman





"I love it. It's fun. It's our last one, so we're trying to do everything we can."

Brittany Mitchell,
Senior

"I liked it. I wish it was longer because I was in class."

Melissa Mackenzie
Freshman

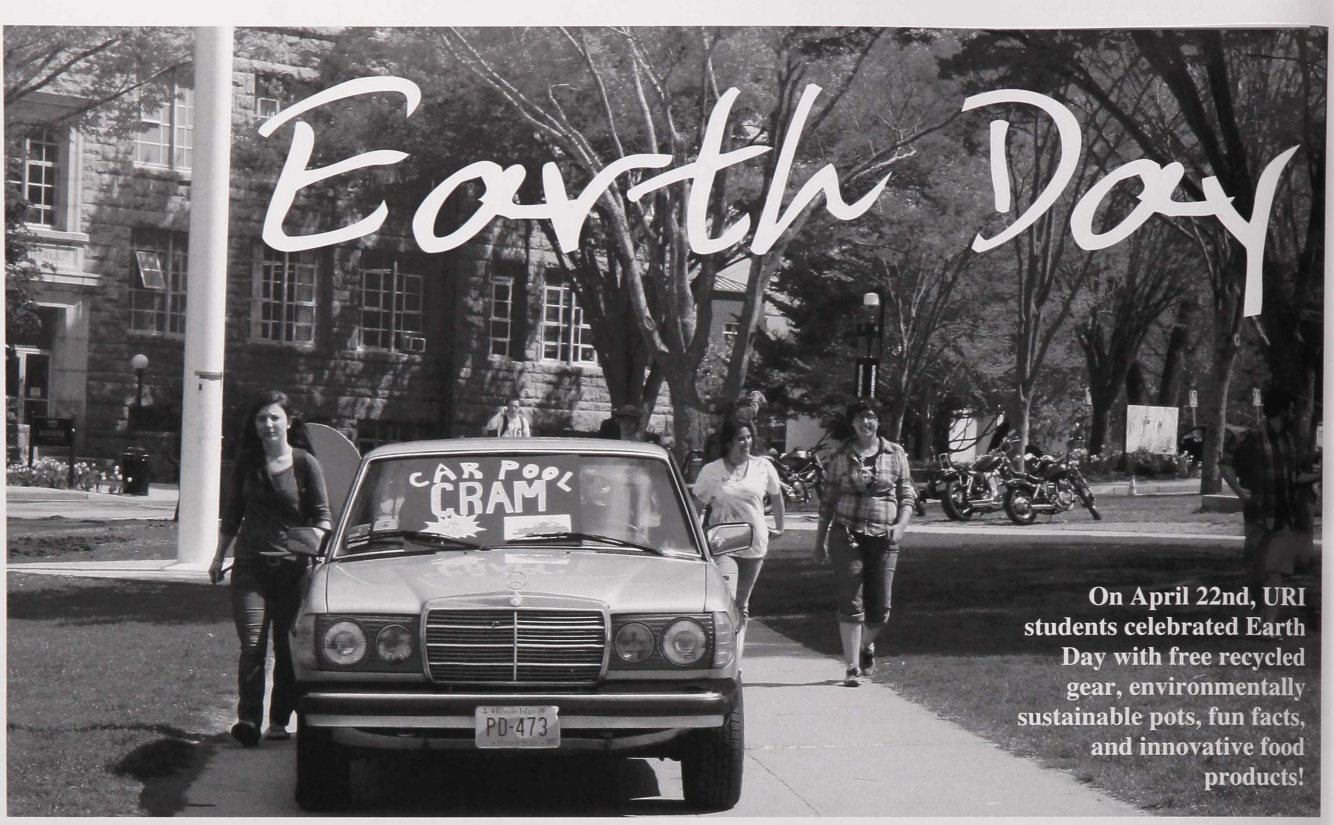
"I think it's fun. I like it."

Anais Grilli
Freshman

"I love block party. Free stuff is always awesome."

Hami Lee
Junior

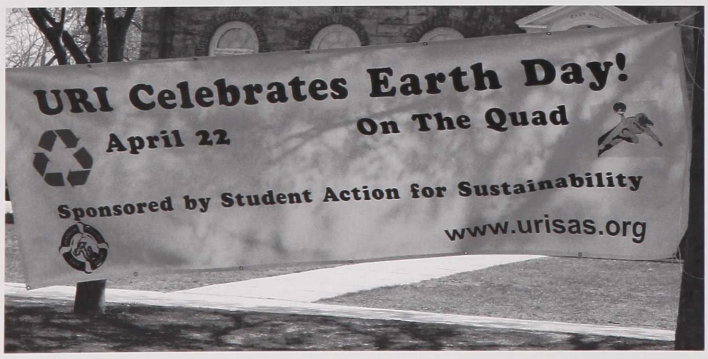
Earth Day

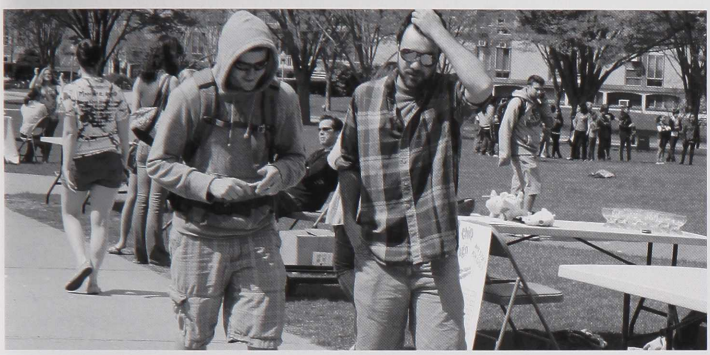


On April 22nd, URI students celebrated Earth Day with free recycled gear, environmentally sustainable pots, fun facts, and innovative food products!

"Recycling is magic! This used to be a water bottle, now it's a tote bag! Amazing!"

Nancy Hawksley
Recycling Coordinator



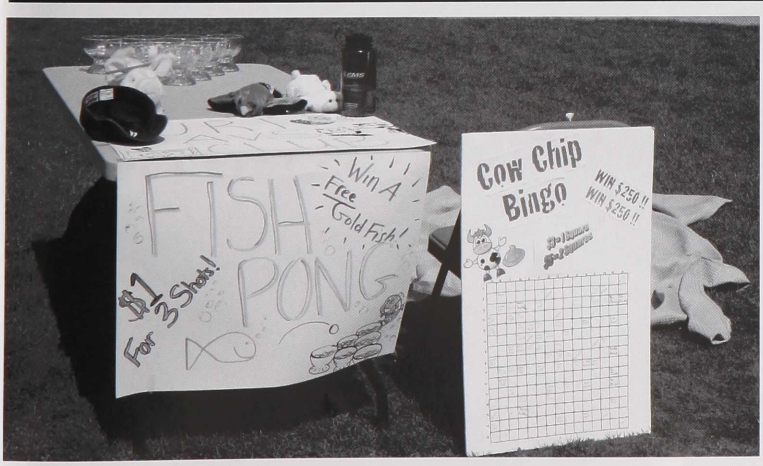


"This year in Student Action for Sustainability, we spent a lot of time on a petition to save the North Woods. It's exciting to me that I could make a difference."

Asha Misra
Freshman

"Earth Day is a great investment in our future. The Earth is a great gift. We should cherish it."

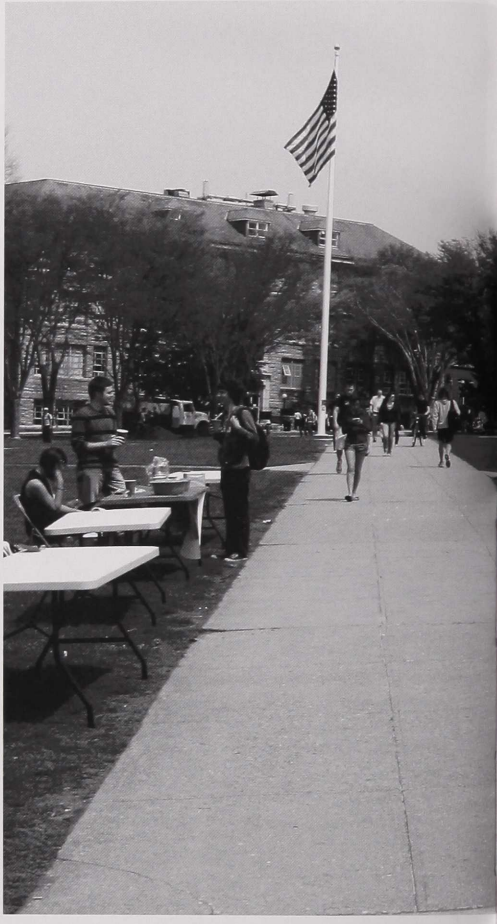
Ilca Almeida
Sophomore



"Green is the new black!"
Fashion Merchandising Society

Spring Fest

Springfest 2010 had a variety of activities for everyone to enjoy. Starting off with a performance by magician David Hall and ending with a performance by Jack's Mannequin at the Ryan Center, spring was celebrated to the fullest this week. Mocktails were also served on the quad. Each club made up their own drink and presented it to the students.



Spotlight Events

April 18th: Magician David Hall
April 20th: Union Board Block Party
April 20th: Showing of The Hangover on the Quad
April 21st: Mocktails on the Quad
April 23rd: Jack's Mannequin at the Ryan Center

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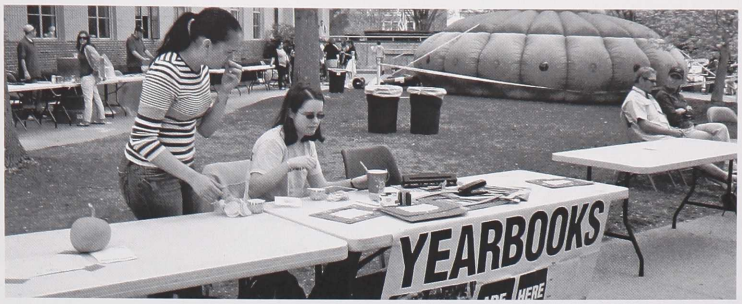
YEARBOOKS

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WELCOME
To Fabulous
SPRINGFEST

Pow Wow

A Pow Wow
is a gathering of Native Americans
from various communities who come
together to dance, sing, feast,
celebrate, catch up with old friends
and make new connections. This
event includes Native American
dancing, singing, crafts, and food.

Saturday, April 24th

"I think this is a great culmination of two years of planning ahead of time from when it started as just an idea to starting out as this glorious day. We have such a great turnout of people, and it's just better than I could have ever hoped for."

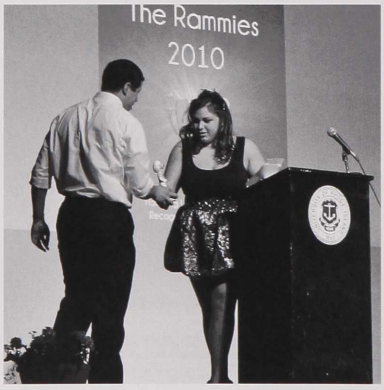
Bryan Harrison
Senior

"It's definitely a piece of culture. It's wonderful to watch them dance and to hear about the meaning of the dance."

Shawna Coutu
Freshman

2nd Annual Rammies

The 2nd Annual Rammies was hosted by Student Senate, and with an eager showing of student groups, it proved to be a fantastic night to honor student group involvement throughout the year.



Winners:

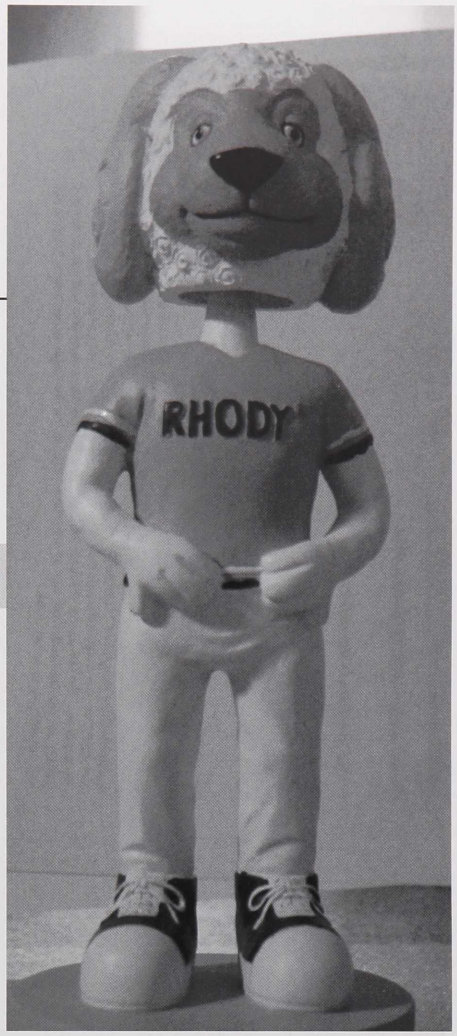
Best Annual Event: Relay for Life
Best Awareness Event: Didikan African Drumming and Dancing
Most Active group on Campus: PINK
Best Philanthropic Event: Relay for Life
Most Unique Fundraiser: Wild-n-out
Best Collaborative Event: Earth Day
Best Entertainment Event: Humans-vs-Zombies
Philanthropic Event of the Year: St. Judes Up 'til dawn
Student Senate Organization of the Year: eXposure
Group President of the Year: Cyntoya Simmons
Newly Recognized Group of the Year: Humans-vs-Zombies
Most Revamped Group of the Year: Habitat for Humanity
Mark Chearino Student Involvement Award: Jonathan Bolano

"The players are what made it fun, and there are many more games to come. We started the pulse, and they kept the heart beat going."

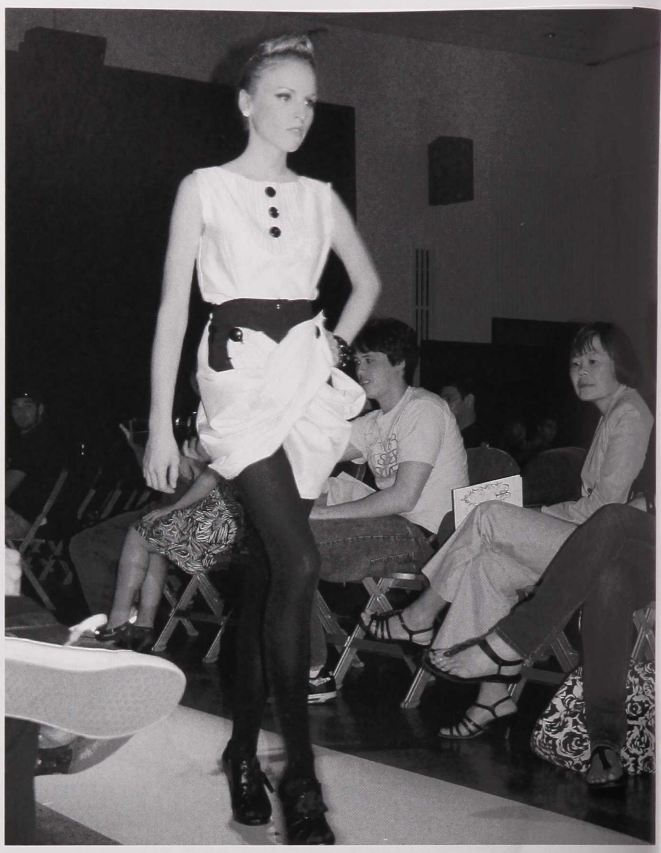
Joscelyn Benoit, Freshman
Nicholas Oliverio, Freshman
Nicholas Kozlowski, Junior

"I had a blast. It's good to see all these organizations come together on one night. As a senior, it's a great way to end four years of involvement."

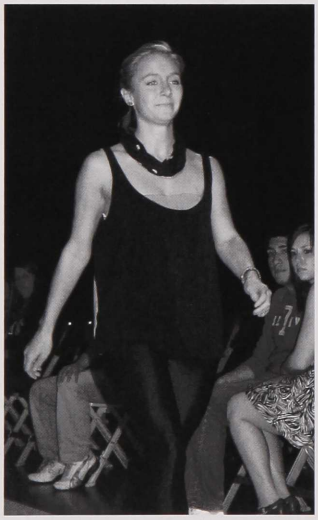
Matthew Brum, Senior

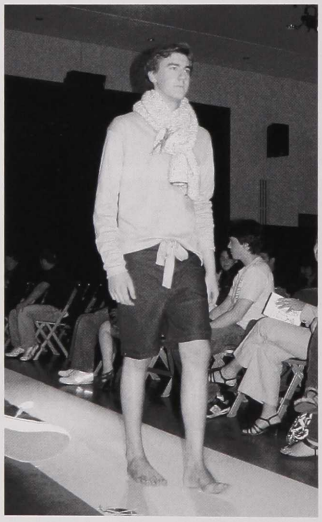


FMS Fashion Show



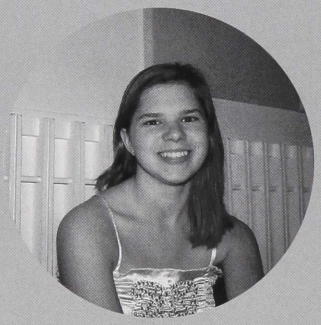
Every year the talented student designers of the Textiles, Fashion Merchandising, and Design department show off their most creative designs. These students work extremely hard to design a clothing line that will be presented at one or both of the spring shows put on each year. The department puts on its annual Spring Splash show every year with this year's theme again being related to international design. Celebrating the role of the USA in fashion this year's show was entitled "The Star Spangled Runway." Every year the Fashion Merchandising Society puts on their show, "Reflections," which impressively is entirely student run.





"I'm definitely enjoying it, this is the first one I've been to. I'm pretty impressed."

Leslie Govalet
Freshman

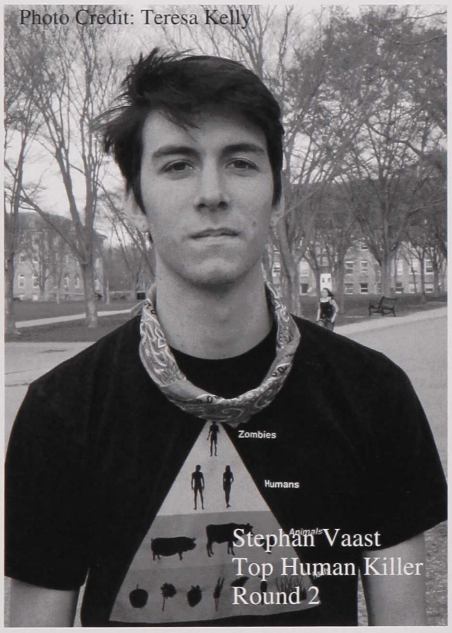


"The outfits are really impressive."

Kerrin Suvari
Freshman

Humans VS. Zombies

Humans versus Zombies (HvZ) was brought to URI Kingston campus by Nick Kozlowski and Zach Lorusso. They met during the spring semester, and with the help of some of their friends, started up a monthly game of HvZ. HvZ is a giant game of tag where the Zombies need to tag the Humans to turn them to Zombies. The goal for the Zombies is to not allow any survivors, and the goal for the Humans is to survive until the end. The game was such a hit that they won the Most Entertaining Event of the Year at the 2nd Annual Rammies.



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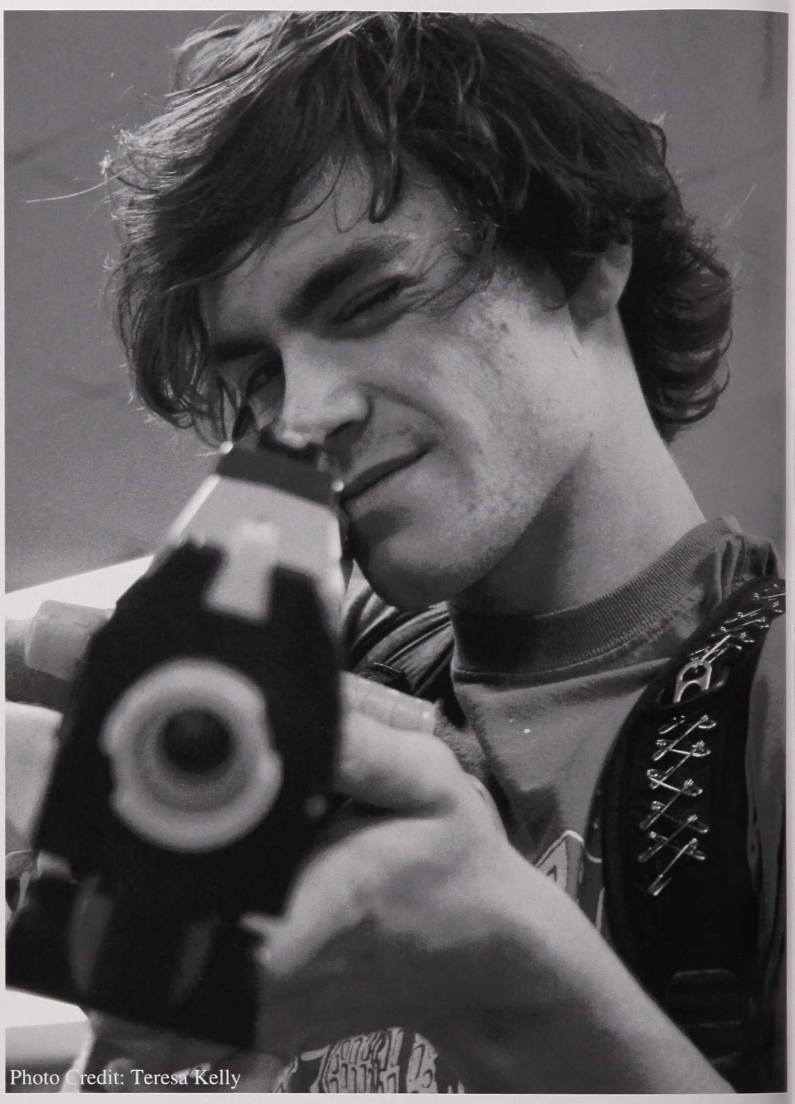
Stephan Vaast
Top Human Killer
Round 2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"The Fear is forever here!"
Wilson Tiang (The Fear)
Freshman

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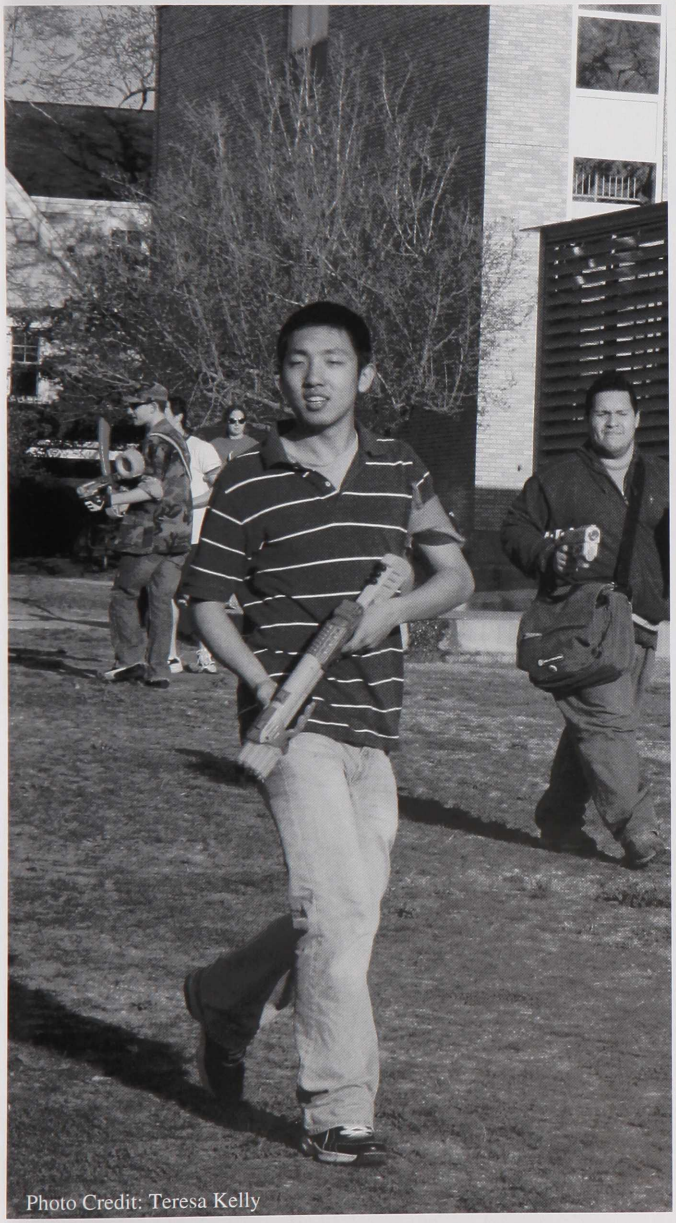
"HvZ was a great way to make friends."

Philip Marasco
Freshman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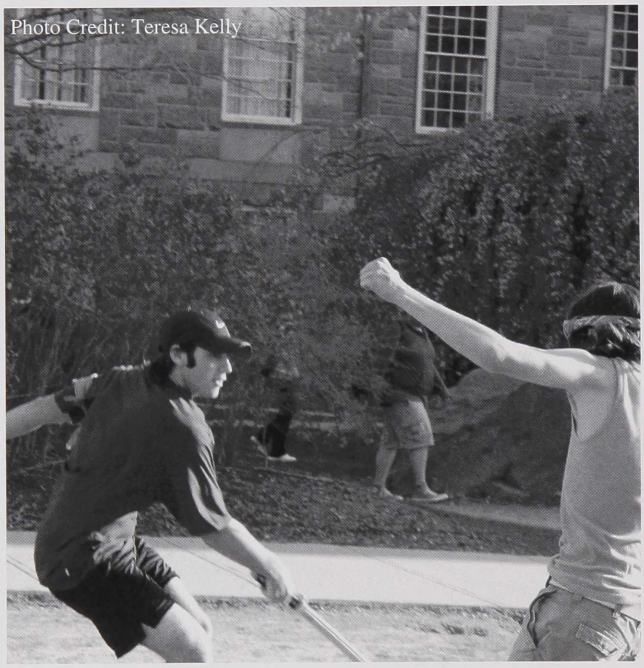
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OOZEBALL

When students like to get down and dirty they play oozeball. Playing muddy volleyball and not really caring if they get covered in mud or not. The Kingston Fire Department supplied the water, and the fields became as muddy as possible, so the students could get as dirty as possible. This is one of the best times of the whole year and is totally dirty.

"I think Oozeball's just a fun way for everyone to end the year and kind of usher in summer."

Joshua Aromin
Junior

Arts

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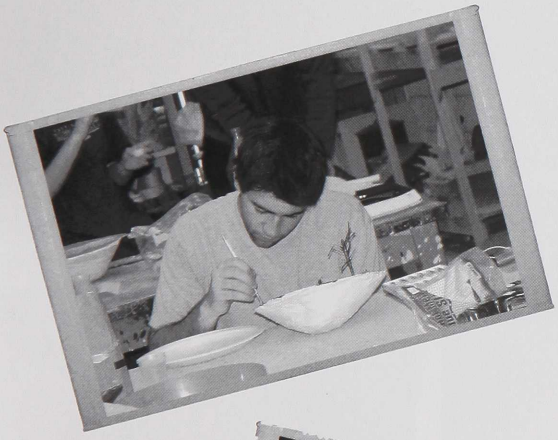

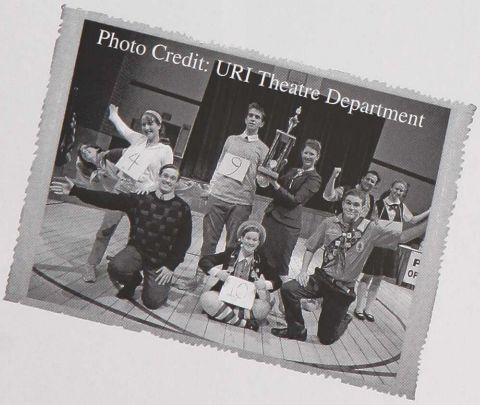

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October 15-18 and 22-25

Boy Gets Girl

The Cast

Theresa.....Jolie Lippincott
Les Kennkat..... Collin Brown
Harriet..... Stephanie Morgan
Madeline Beck..... Kira Hawkridge
Mercer Stevens..... Johnny Sederquist
Howard..... Jesse Dufault
Tony Ross..... Cory Crew

Understudies:

Theresa.....Kira Arnold
Harriet..... Bridget Moriarty
Madeline Beck..... Rebecca Kittredge
Mercer Stevens..... Andrew Burnap
Howard..... Birk Wozniak
Tony Ross..... Joshua Andrews

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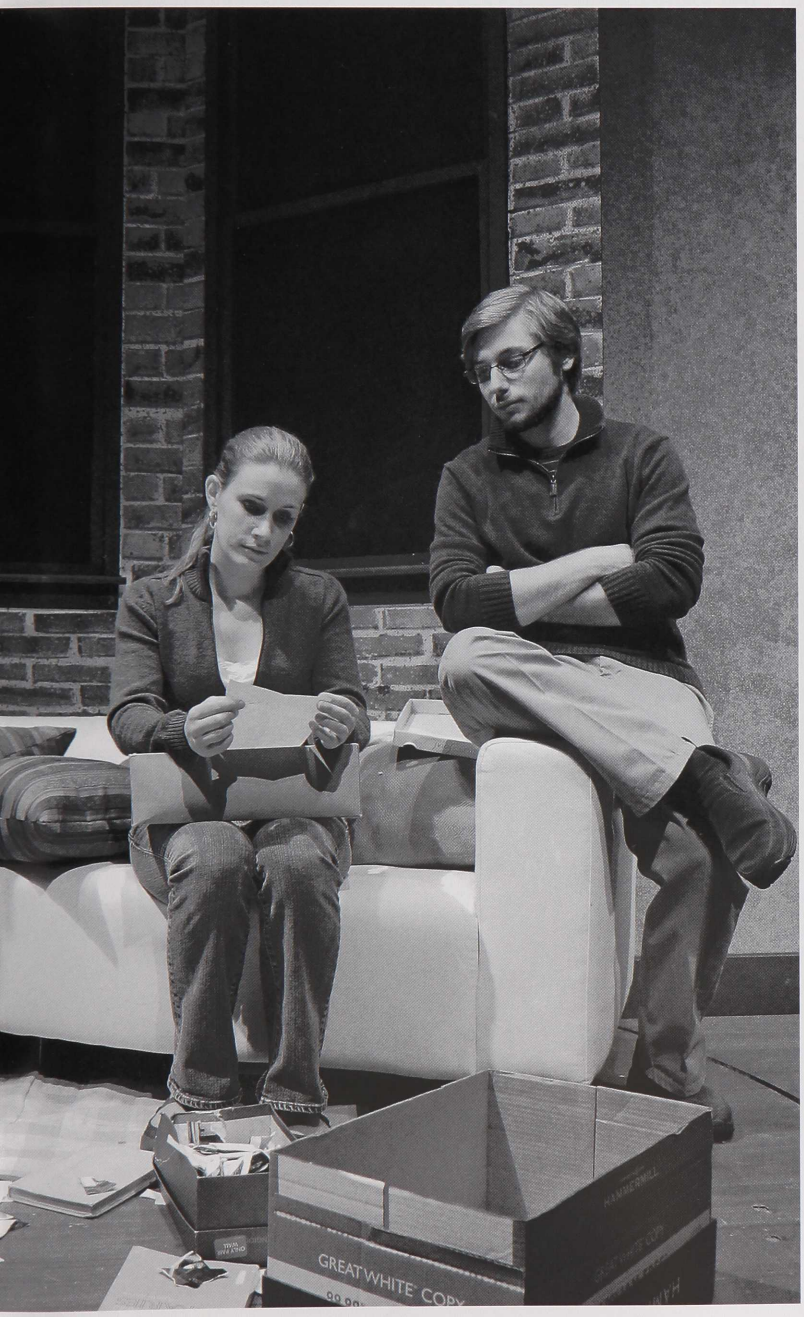
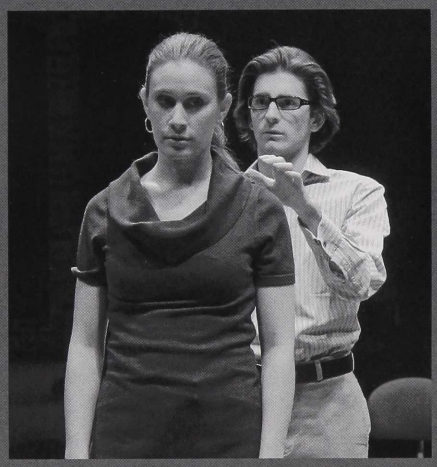
"I felt comfortable because the director really nurtured us and allowed us to explore the subject matter."
Johnny Sederquist
Junior





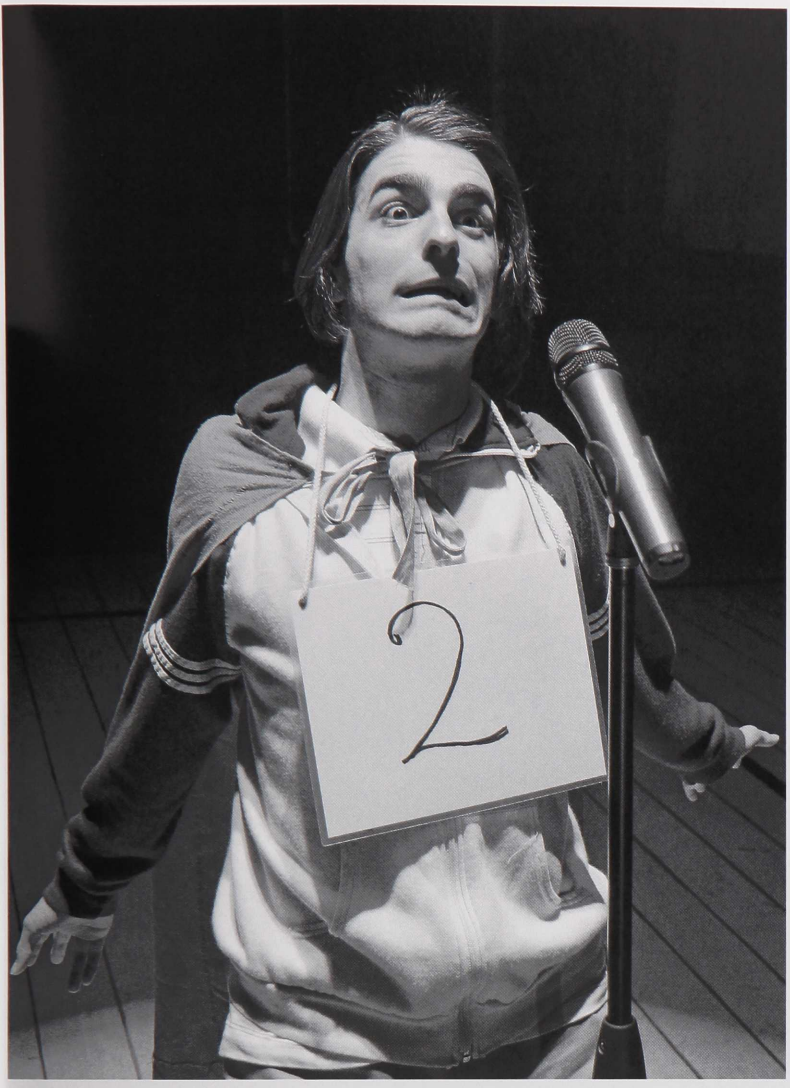
The 25th Annual Putnam County

Spelling Bee

December 3-6 and 10-13

The Cast

Rona Lisa Peretti	Katie Travers or Melanie Kane
Little Rona	Shannon Hartman
Chip Tolentino	Andrew Burnap or Cory Crew
Logainne Schwartzandgrubenierre	Betsy Rinaldi or Talia Triangolo
Leaf Coneybear	Jon Paul Rainville or Johnny Sederquist
Willliam Barfee	Benjamin M.S. Grills or Jesse Dufault
Marcy Park	Autumn Gillette or Jennifer Michaels
Olive Ostrovsky	Micah Tougas or Stephanie Morgan
Vice Principal Douglas Panch	Benjamin Rose or Mike Puppi
Mitch Mahoney	Kyle Viverito or Jimmy Calitri



"I loved it. It was an opportunity that I was glad to accept."
Stephanie Morgan
Junior

"It was honestly the most fun I've ever had in any play or musical."
Jesse Dufault
Junior

"I loved it. It's a very different kind of show because it's an honest musical and you're portraying real people and that's why I loved it."
Jennifer Michaels
Senior

"I loved the play."
Melanie Kane
Senior

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A Flea in Her Ear

February 25-28 and March 4-7

"It was a wonderful run tonight. We had a great audience."
Katie Travers
Senior

"It's a hard experience, but I couldn't have asked for a better experience in the college setting."
Betsy Rinaldi
Junior

"It's just awesome to be able to hear the joy we bring the audience."
Jesse Dufault
Junior

Photo Credit: URI Theatre Department

The Cast

Victor Chandebise	Benjamin Grills
Raymonde Chandebise	Katie Travers
Camille Chandebise	Michael Puppi
Lucienne Homenides De Histangua	Betsy Rinaldi
Doncarlos Homenides De Histangua	Albert Coelho
Dr. Finache	Benjamin Rose
Romain Tournel	Jesse Dufault
Antoinette	Hillary Scofield
Etienne	Birk Wozniak
Ferraillon	Erick Betancourt
Olympia	Caitlin Tango
Eugenie	Kira Hawkridge
Baptiste	Johnny Sederquist
Rugby	Collin Brown

Unbound

April 22-25, April 29- May 2

The Cast

Aleck/ Jennings	Albert Coelho
Mr. Oden/ Ensemble	Cory Crew
Ensemble Man	Jesse Dufault
Ensemble Fanny	Nora Eschenheimer
Pierce Butler	Benjamin M.S. Grills
Harrient/ Ensemble	Jocilyn Hardguittini
Maria Therese	Margaret Kane
Ensemble Fanny/ Psyche	Olivia Khoshatefeh
Young Fanny	Jolie Lippincott
Ensemble Fanny	Jennifer Michaels
Charles/ Cooper London	Michael Puppi
Older Fanny	Stephanie Rodger
Ensemble Man	Benjamin S. Rose
Ensemble Man	Johnny Sederquist

Understudies

Mr. Oden/ Ensemble Man	Joshua Andrews
Young Fanny	Julia Bailey
Ensemble Man	Miles Boucher
Pierce Butler	Andrew Burnap
Ensemble Fanny	Alana Corwin
Ensemble Man	Max Engelhardt
Psyche	Jocilyn Hardguittini
Older Fanny	Kira Hawkridge
Aleck/ Jennings	Frank Juarez
Maria Therese	Rebecca Kittredge
Ensemble Fanny	Mindy Masterson
Ensemble Fanny	Bridget Moriarty
Charles	Aaron Weininger

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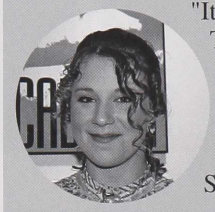
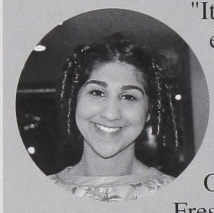
"I felt like it was a great experience. It was an interesting piece."
Stephanie Rodger
Junior



"It was fun to put on. This hasn't even been published yet so it's very experimental in that sense."
Nora Eschenheimer
Sophomore

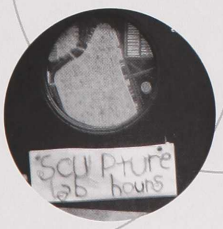


"It was a great experience. I'm a freshman so it was a great introduction to the URI theatre program."
Olivia Khoshatefeh
Freshman

THE FAC: A common term on campus for the Fine Arts Center.

Art At URI

ART STUDENTS AT URI EXPRESS THEMSELVES THROUGH THEIR WORK AT THE FINE ARTS CENTER



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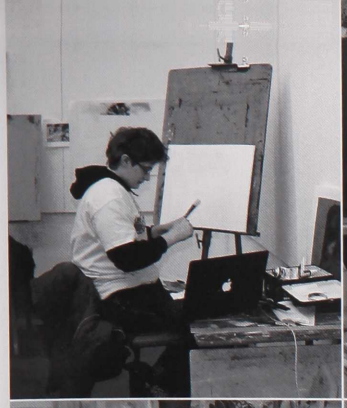


"My favorite thing about art is the freedom of being able to do what I want, while at the same time learning the technicality of it."
Liz Richards
Freshman

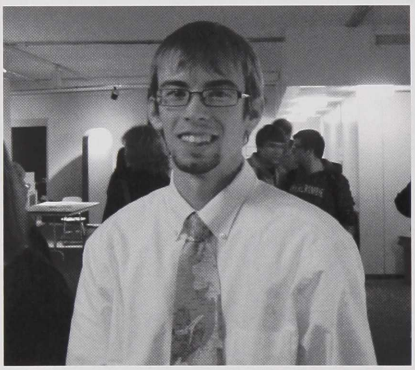
1966: Phase I of the Fine Arts Center was opened.

1971: Phase II of the Fine Arts Center was opened.

Music

AT URI

At the University of Rhode Island music is a very popular activity for many different students. Whether they have chosen to major in music or have just joined one of the many ensembles for the pure joy of it, the music department is home to many talented students. Located in the Fine Arts Center, the music department puts on various shows throughout the semester in the Concert Hall. Included in these performances are URI's Concert Band, Percussion Ensemble, Concert Choir and Symphonic Wind Ensemble among many other student groups.



"It was fun and challenging music. It was cool."

Theo Kontos
Junior

"This was probably the best orchestra concert I've seen yet. They played some really tough music really well, and the instrumentation was super creative! Plus the handsome second violinist in the back row didn't hurt..."

Sarah Fitzpatrick
Freshman

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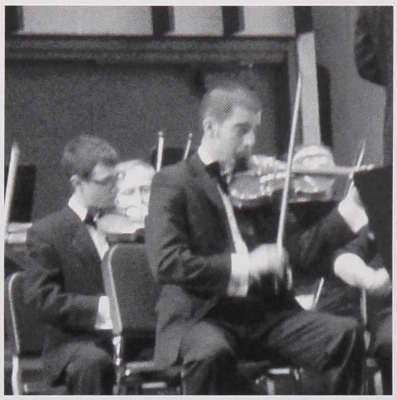

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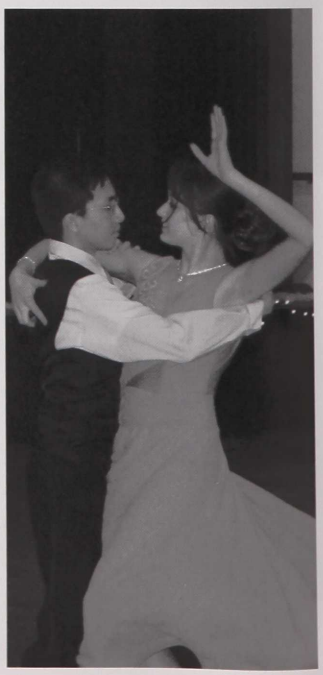
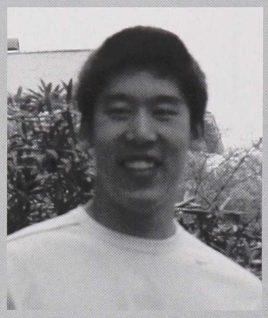
DANCE AT URI

No matter what style dance you prefer, there are various opportunities to dance at URI. Through the many clubs and teams in existence, students ranging from novice to expert dancers have the opportunity to express themselves. Welcoming dancers of all ages and experience levels, the many groups on campus cover a variety of styles which include but by no means is limited to: tap, ballet, jazz, hip-hop, ballroom and irish step. These students' many performances throughout the year are definitely worth seeing.





"It was really good and I was very impressed with what I saw. It exceeded my expectations."

Kevin Sun
Freshman

"It's really fun. I love it. The officers are awesome."

Mindy Duggan

Sports

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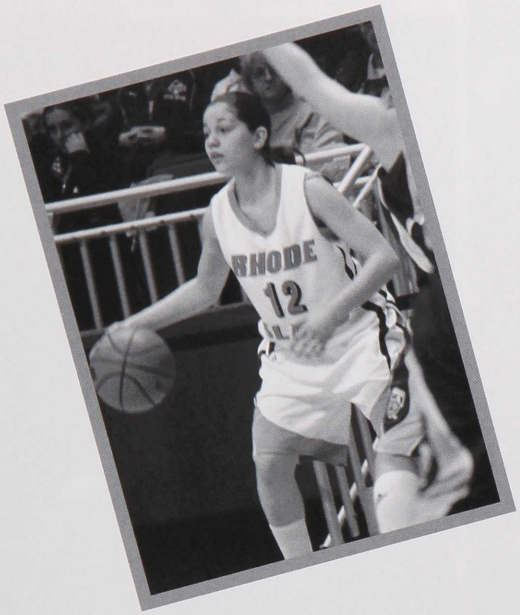
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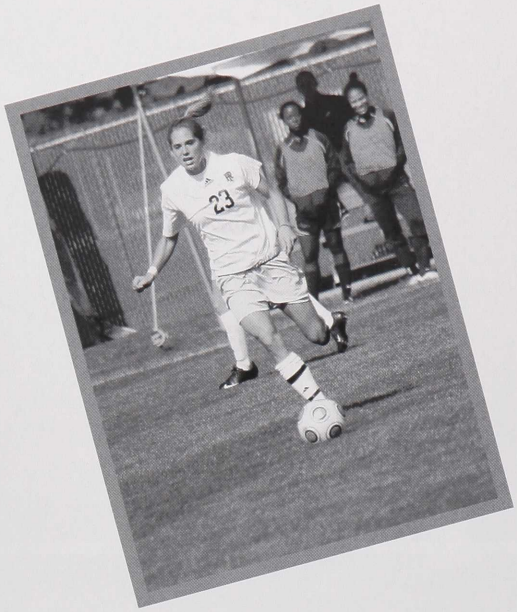
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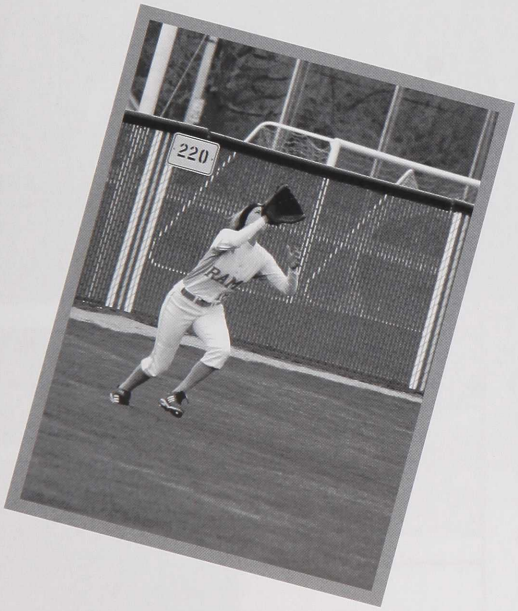
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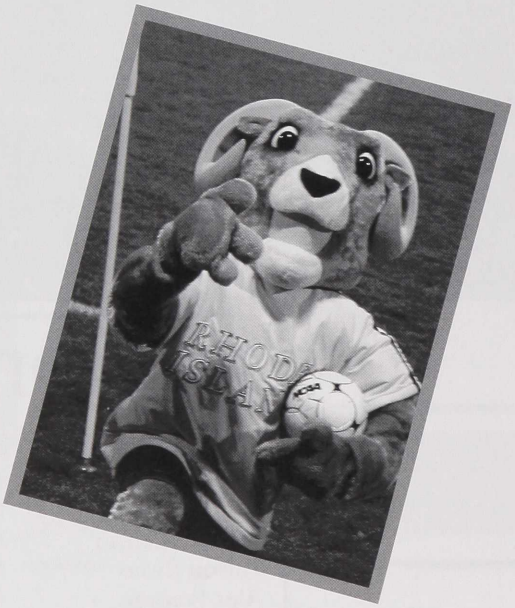
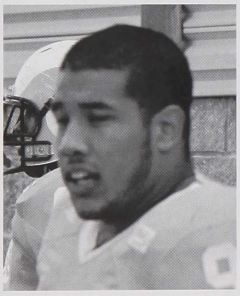


In it for the Long Haul

Football, 1-10

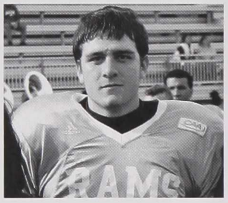
Seniors

Joe Bellini	#83
Joe Casey	#37
Robert Crudup	#79
Carl Daniel	#77
Nick DelGrosso	#23
Tolbert Evans	#81
Alex Francois	#22
Shawn Leonard	#13
Rodney Mitchell	#3
Stephen Smalls	#86
D.J. Stefkovich	#9
Steven Weedon	#45
David Wilson	#87



"It's better to burn out than to fade away."

Matt Sheard
Sophomore



"It's been a great four years and it's like having another family. You come in and have 80-90 other brothers."

Shawn Leonard
Senior

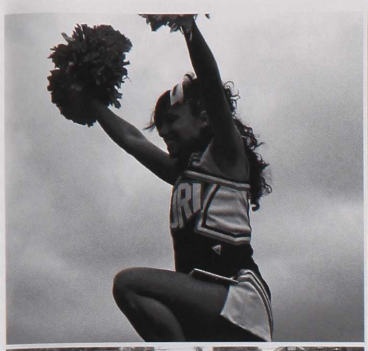
Let The Music Play...

Marching Band

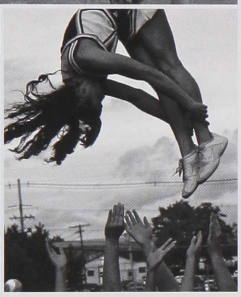
"Marching band has made my college experience what it is today."
Alexandria Tichy
Sophomore

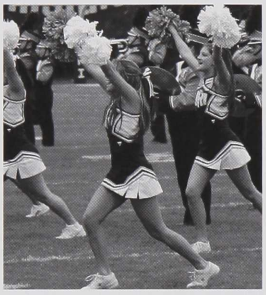
We Will Cheer Away...

URI Varsity Cheerleading Squad



"Let's hear it for all of URI athletics!! GO RHODY!!!
Melissa Scungio
Coach





Hit Me With Your Best Shot

Men's Soccer

Team Overall Record: 9-9-2

Made it to the A-10 Semifinals!

"The team is very close, and we stepped it up towards the end of our season. Our main goal is to get to the A-10s,...and hopefully the NCAA tournament too. That goal is in sight now."
Matthew Ribbens, Freshman

"Unity, responsibility, and intensity...URI!!!"
Chris Pennock, Senior

Seniors

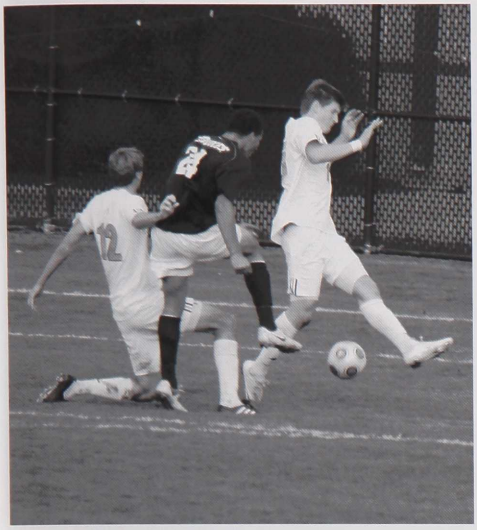
Chris Pennock #0
Goal Keeper

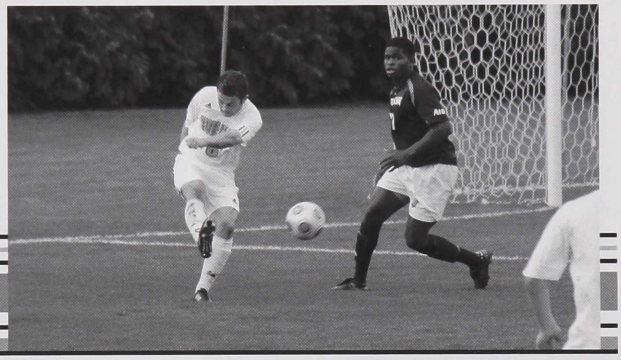
Anthony Tavares #1
Goal Keeper

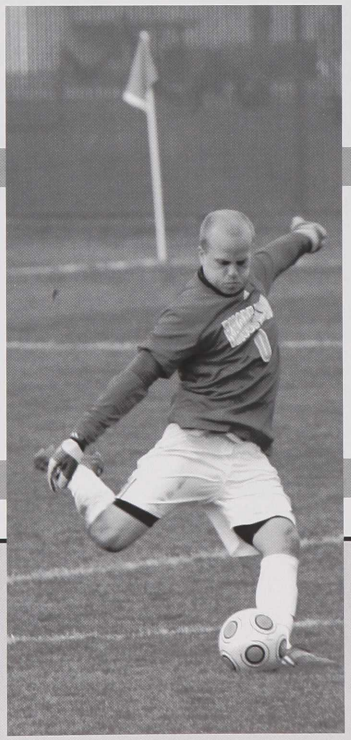
Domenic Petrarca #2
Defender

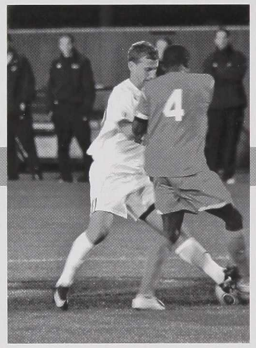
Gary Crooks #6
Midfield

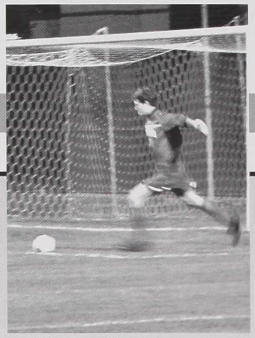
Kevin Shaw #8
Midfield
Defender







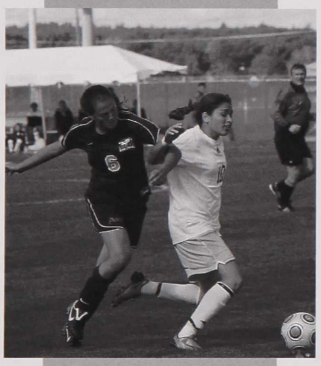




Overall Record: 6-12-1

We're Still Kickin' !

Women's Soccer



Seniors

Colleen Dowd #2
Defender

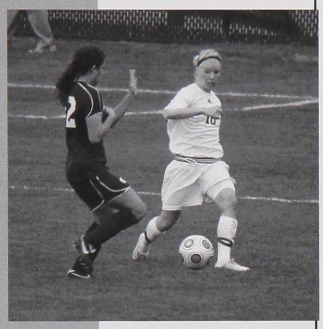
Kassandra Spitler #4
Forward

Kristie Moltz #12
Defender

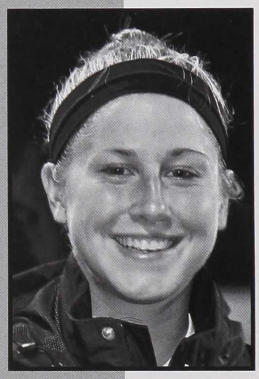
Ina Wam Bjorklid #21
Forward/Midfielder

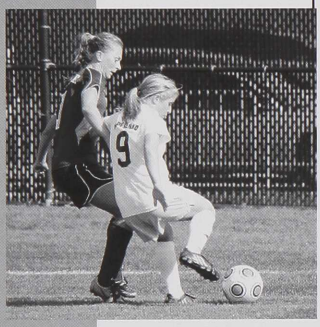
Amanda Thomas #23
Defender

"We have our ups and downs, but we did amazing today and I feel like we can make it to the A10s"
-Jennifer Barrientos
Freshman

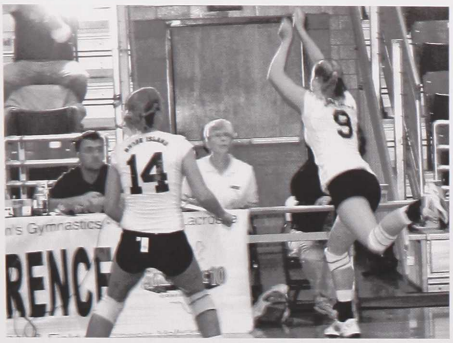


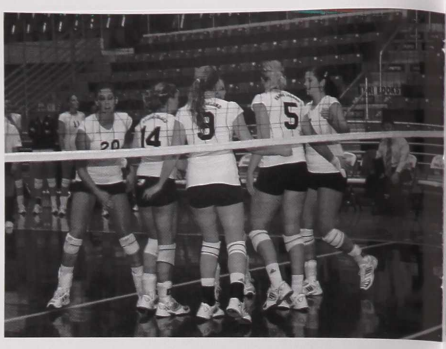
"Tonight changed it around a lot. I think we're going to gain a lot of confidence from this game and it's going to help bring us forward"
-Kassandra Spitler
Senior

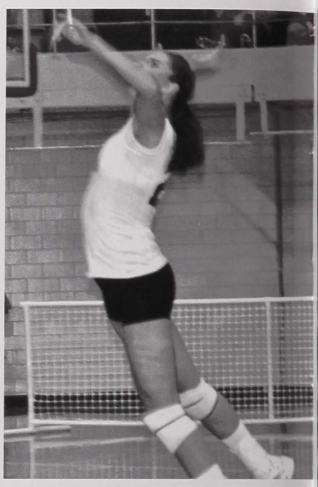


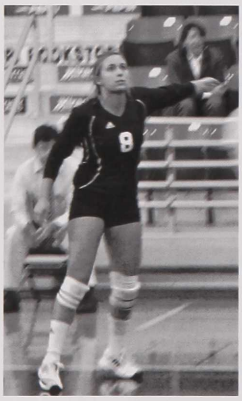


"So far it's been not as good as we wanted, but today we proved it to ourselves so hopefully we can continue"
-Ina Wam Bjorklid
Senior









Senior

Caitlyn Welsh
#20
Outside hitter

Record:
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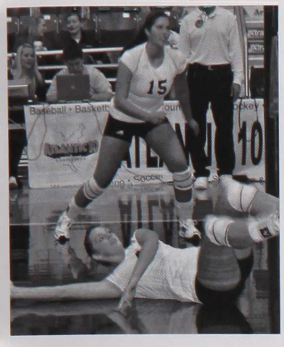
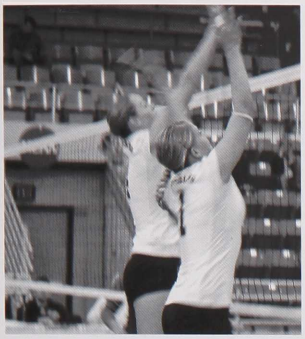
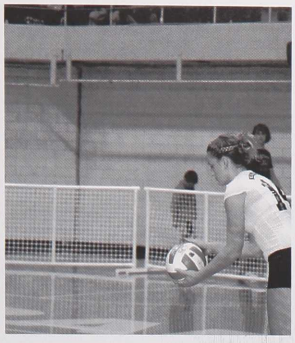
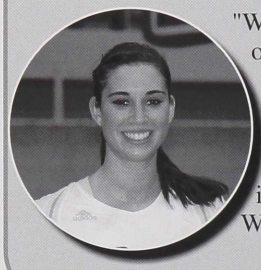




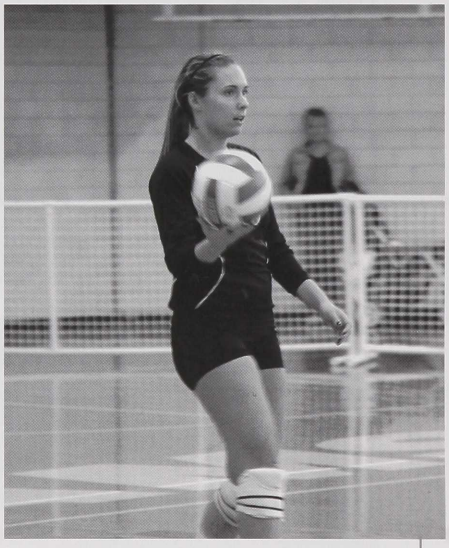


"Our team will always have the will to do and soul to dare. We will always believe." Kalyn Klaess Junior

"I feel like I'm surrounded by an amazing group of girls. We have the heart, and we have the talent. It just has to come." Ashleyann Tennant Freshman

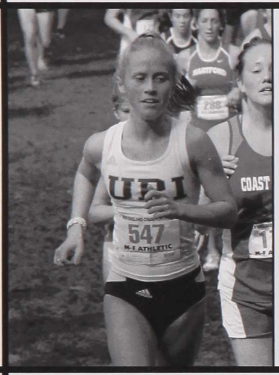


"We're in a little bit of a rut, but I definitely believe in this team, and I think we can do it." Caitlyn Welsh Senior



Spike!!

Women's Volleyball



And the beat keeps running,

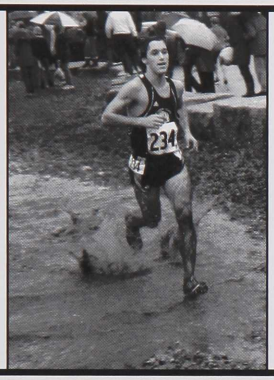
Seniors

Kathryn Allard

Kathryn Hines

Dominique Lee

Erica Planamento



running, and running...

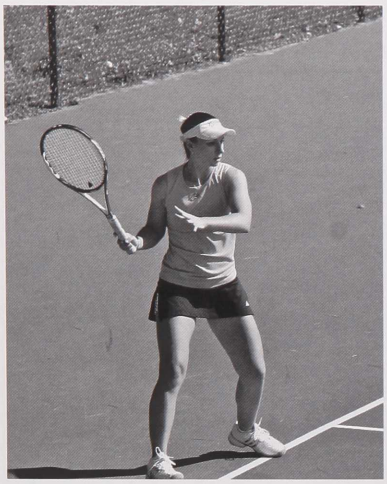
Seniors

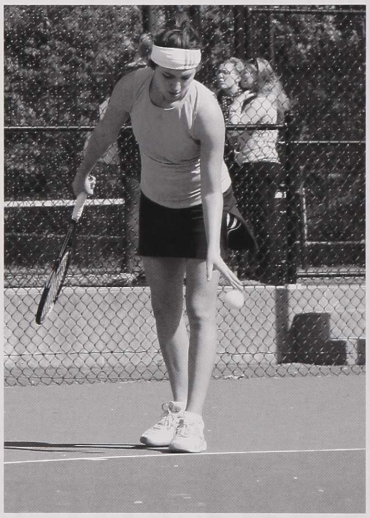
Daniel Hawkins

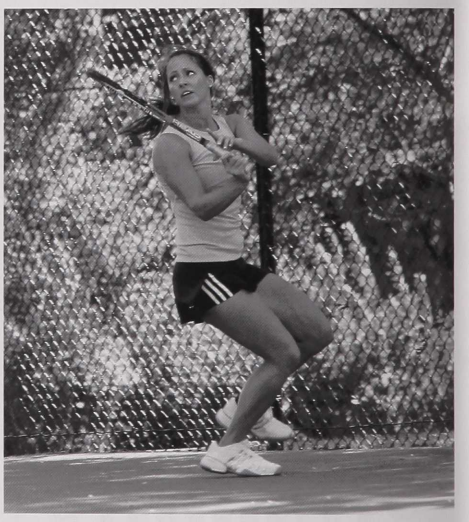
Nathan Ruchames

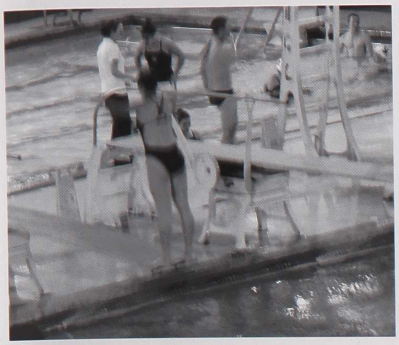
Women's Tennis

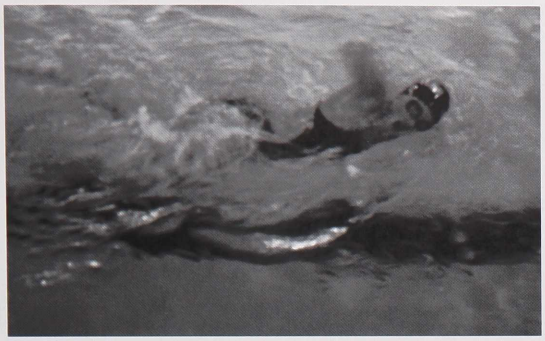
Senior: Amanda Barletta

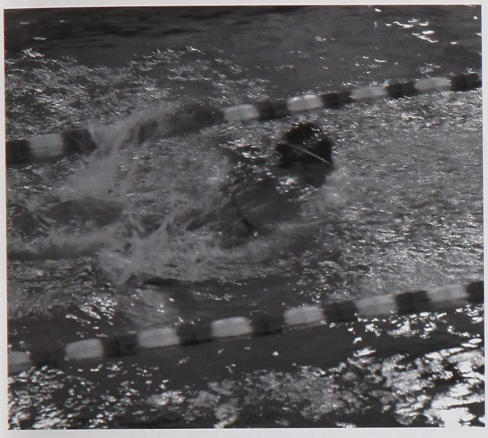












Women's Swimming and Diving

Record: 4-1

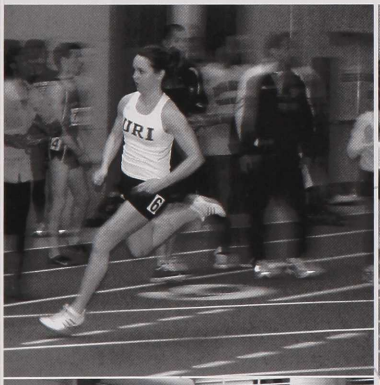
Seniors:
Lindsay Heimburg
Haley Johnson
Kiersten Oresman
Maura Zaneski

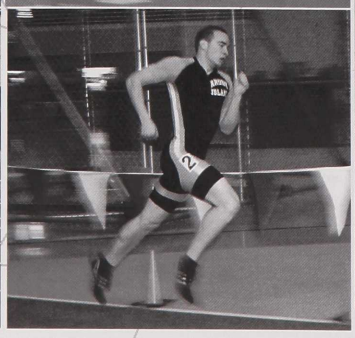
"Our season so far has gone very well. We have become a very strong and close knit team in a short amount of time. We work hard which brings us closer together and helps us compete better as a team. As a freshmen I am really enjoying my first season as a division one athlete."

- Christine Beecher
Freshman

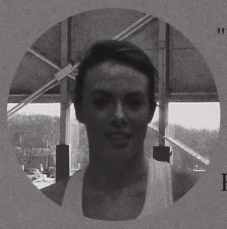
Breathe, Stretch, Run

Men's and Women's Track





"I think our season is going pretty well. We have a lot to look forward to for outdoor, but today we're doing really good."
Justin Nicoll
Sophomore

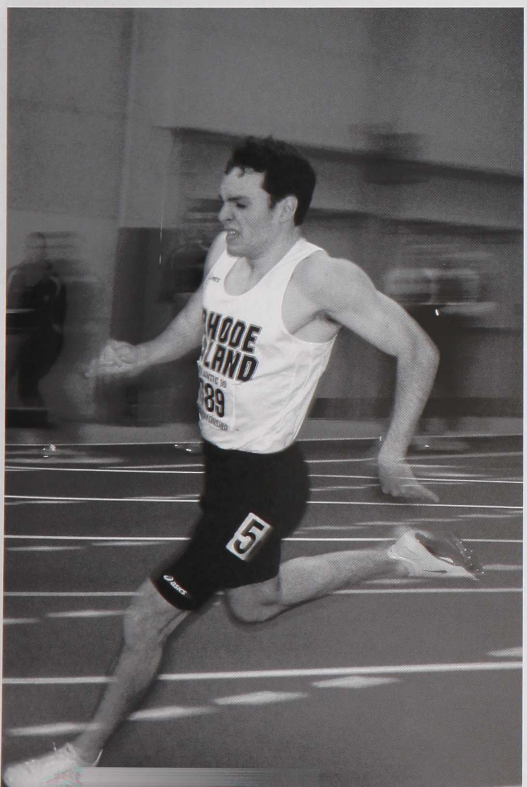


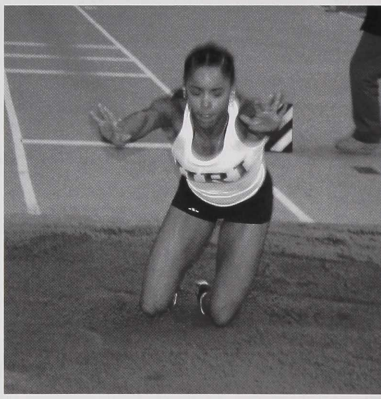
"It's my freshman year, and I'm coming off with a shin injury so I'm happy with how everything is progressing so far."
Haley Mathewson
Freshman

"Our season is going pretty well. We've got some injuries, but I feel overall it's going pretty well."
Phil Thomas
Freshman

"The season is off to a great start."

-Najla Singleton
Junior





I Just Wanna Jump

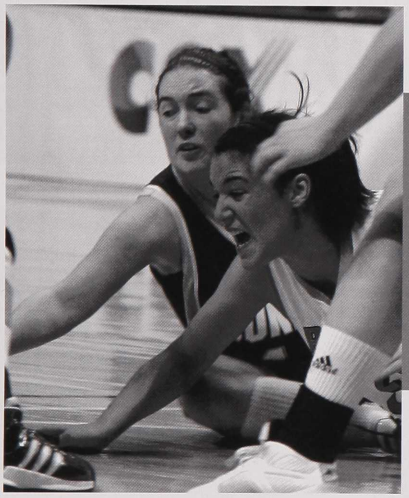
Women's Basketball

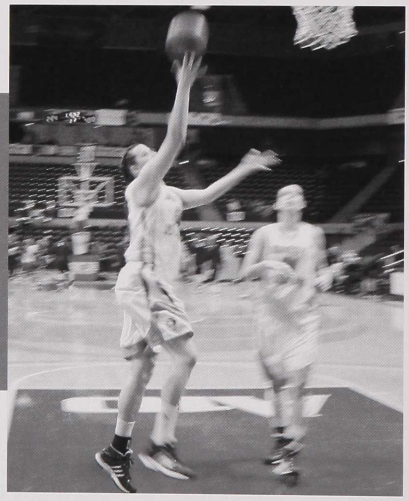
Record: 10-20

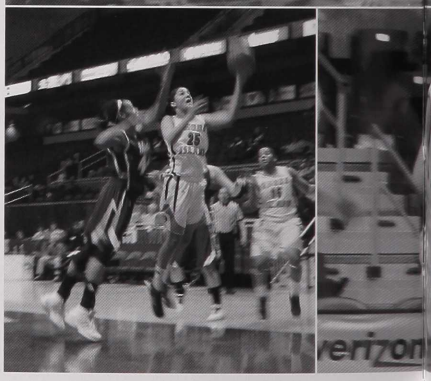
Seniors

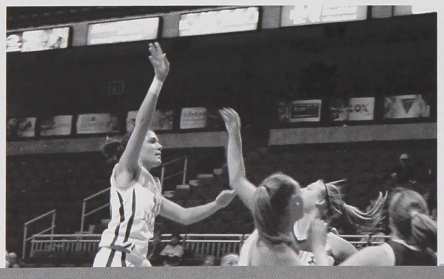
Andrea Buck
#32, Forward

Lindsay Harris
#15, Guard





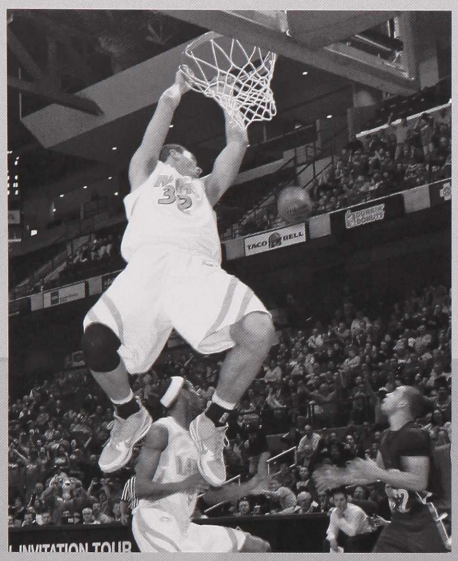


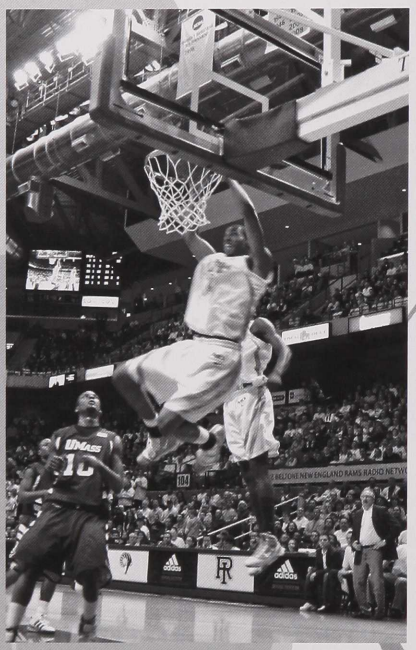


Runnin' Rams

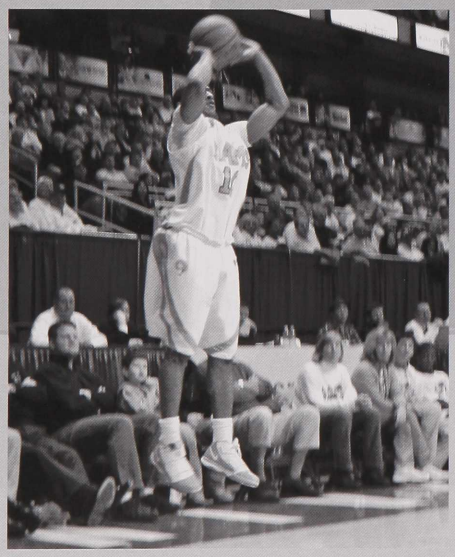
Men's Basketball

Record: 26-10





The URI men's basketball team had another successful season. Both beginning the regular season and finishing the postseason strong, the team gave Rhody fans a lot to be proud of. The team made it to the NIT semifinals in Madison Square Garden to finish the season with 26 wins.



Seniors:

Keith Cothran #22
Guard

Lamonte Ulmer #15
Forward

2/5 White Wash

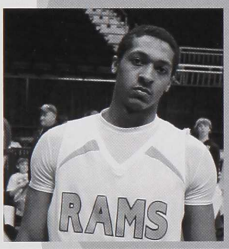
2/10 Pink Out

3/3 Senior Night

3/17 Green Out

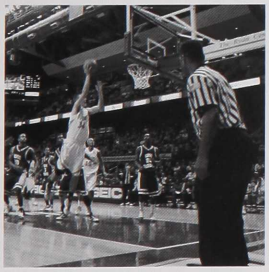
"It feels great to play. I've got a lot of friends at other collages who don't get much playing time. To get as much as I do here, it"s an honor."

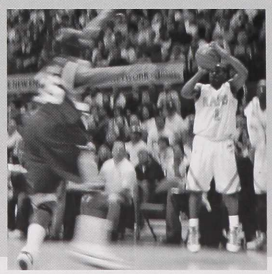
Akeem Richmond
Freshman



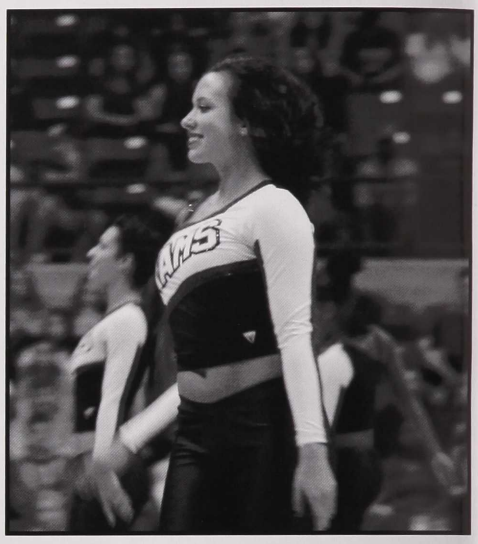
"Playing for URI, it's everything. The team, the fans, it's great. I'm going to miss it."

Keith Cothran
Senior



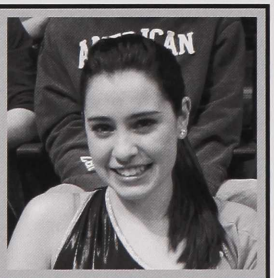


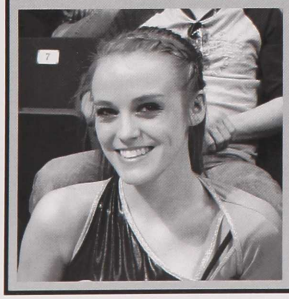
Ramettes



"Its fun because it lets me show my Rhody pride"

Lauren Kenny
Senior

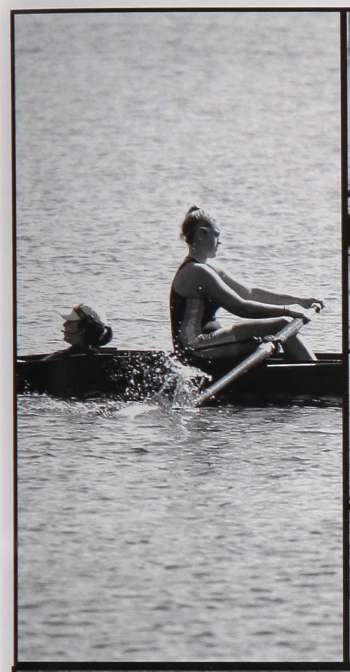


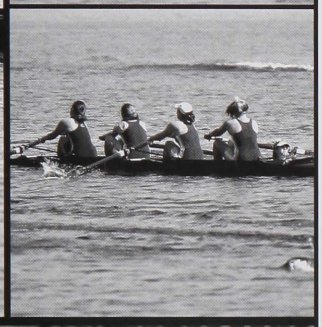


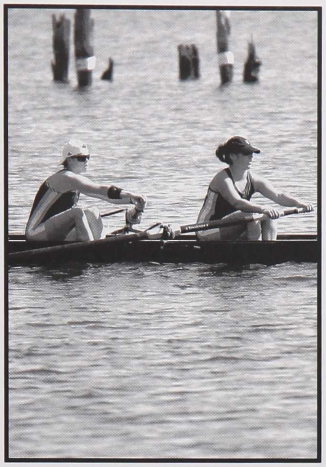
"I get to do what I love"

Danielle Warren
Freshman

Women's Rowing







Seniors:
Rebecca Cotreau
Jenna Hetzell
Nicole Klaiber
Jenn Lombardo
Ryan O'Hara
Raejean Pearse-Theroux

"We were training so hard. We had a great race against Brown. We're strong. We're really strong. It's a great testimony to know that we won back our Yankee Cup."
Megan Nepshinsky
Sophomore

"We're having a pretty good season. We're pretty strong, and this race was a good starting point."
Samantha Sills
Freshman

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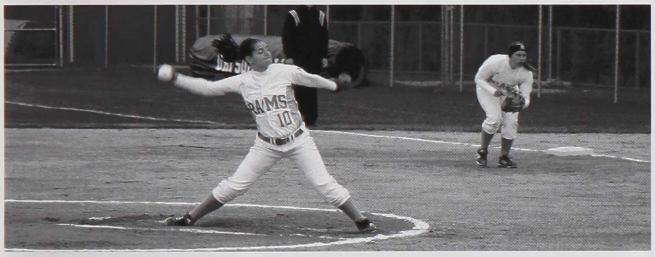
Softball

Record: 19-35

Seniors

Darci Borden
Jackie Kampmeier
Melissa Wilson
Leah DiBussolo

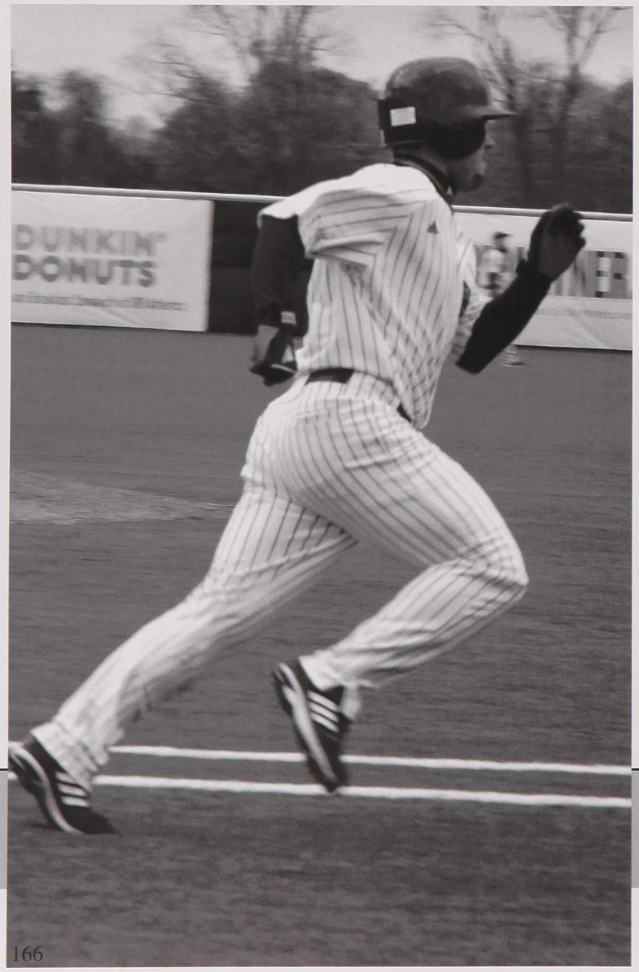


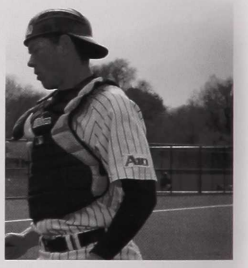
"We worked really hard. It all paid off. Now we get to go to A10s"

Brittany Julich
Sophomore

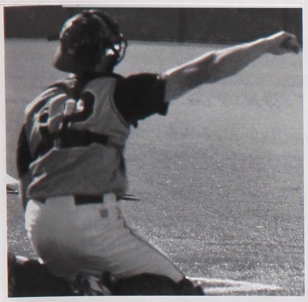
Take Me Out to the Ballgame...

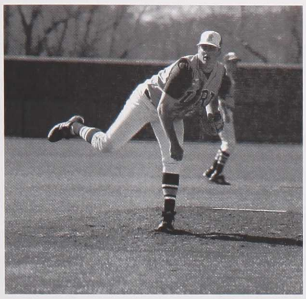
Record: 24-29





Baseball



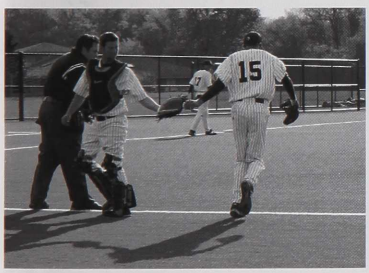
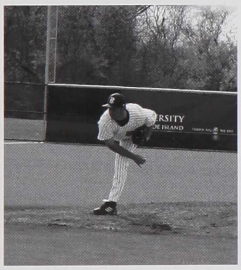
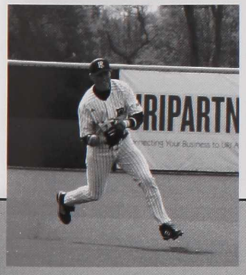
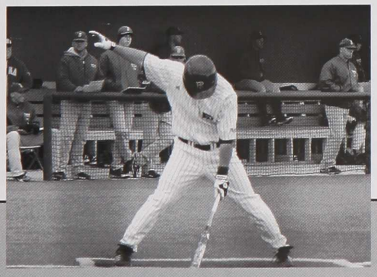


Seniors:

Zoey Angulo Oliver Palmer

Dan Rossignol Rob Deveney

Tim Boyce

UP TO PAR

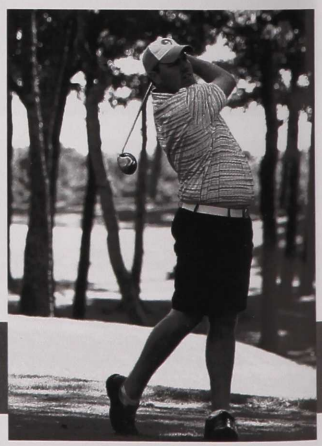
Men's Golf

SENIORS

Cody Larson

Bill McDonald

Patrick Pelletier



"Practice hard, but play harder! "
Alden Andrade
Senior

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<< Men's Volleyball

>> TO THE NET

Ruck, Ruck, Ruck! Women's Rugby

Seniors

Allie Musgrove
Kerri Farrell
Lauren Magness
Kaitlyn Cashman
Maura O'Keefe

Records

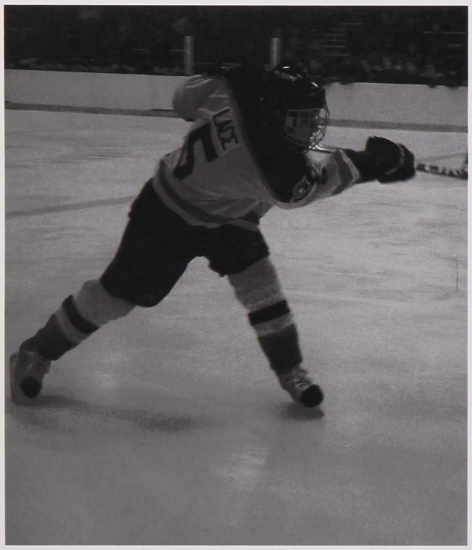
Fall Season: 5-1

Spring Season: 3-3

Ice, Ice, Baby

Record: 21-12

Seniors:
Mike Stoffel
James Lang
Devin Sheehan



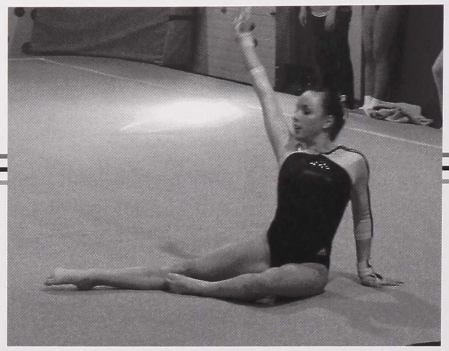
Skating On Thin Ice

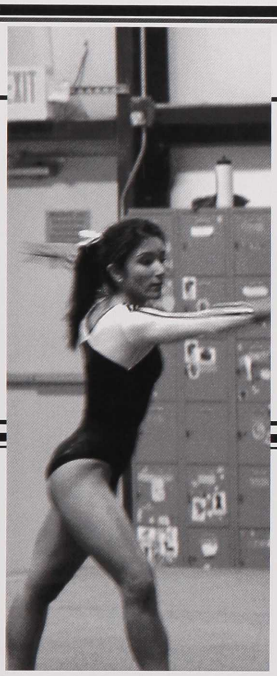
Record: 19-10

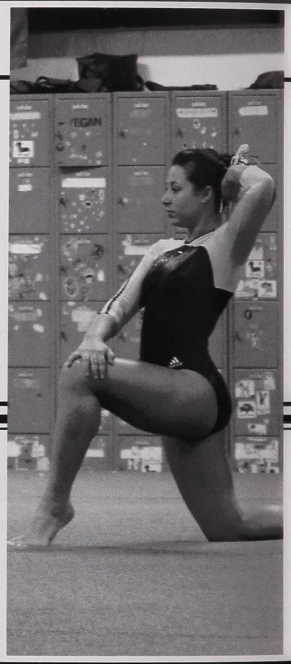
Seniors:
Nicole Ouellette
Jennifer Bragger
Jolene Rambone
Christina Ferencevych

Women's Ice Hockey

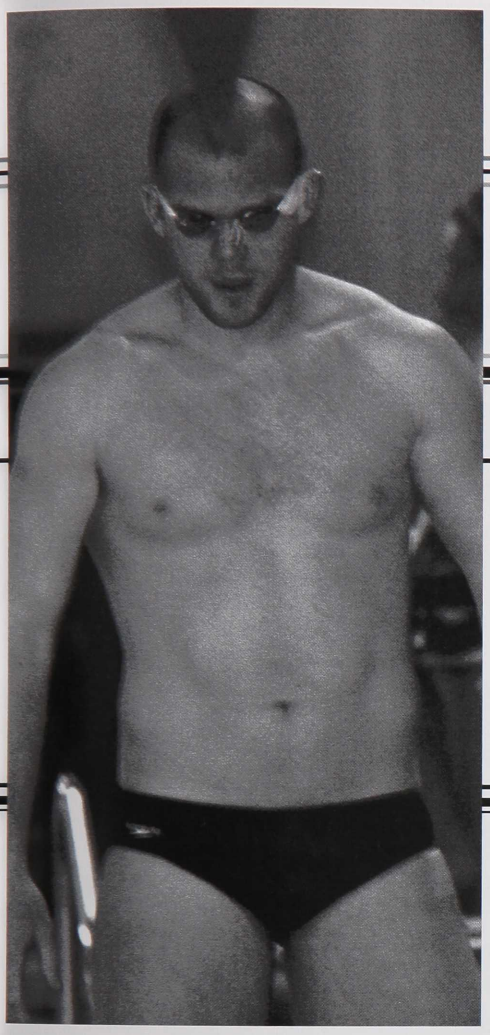
Flyin' High Women's Gymnastics

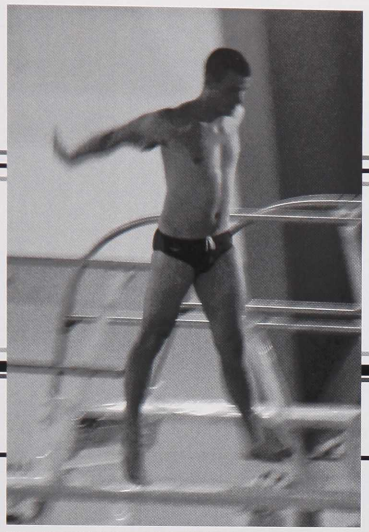


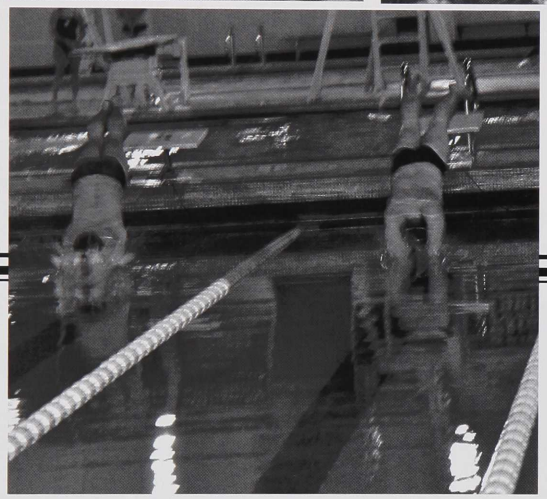


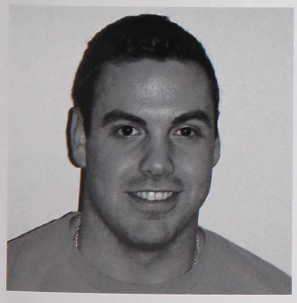


Men's Swimming









"New England Regional Champions!! What an awesome way to end my swimming career. I've never been so proud to be part of a team and I couldn't have asked for better teammates."
Mickey Ennis
Senior

Seniors

Gerard Donlevy
Matt Zrada
Mickey Ennis
Francis Stanton
John Wolf
Matt Burak

"It's a good season. We got a new coach. We feel pretty good. Better than in the past."

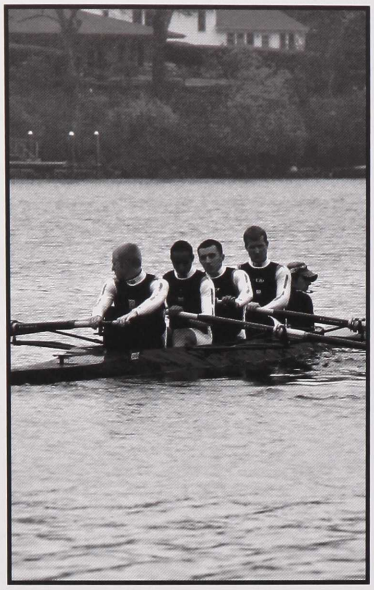
Eric Pottey
Junior

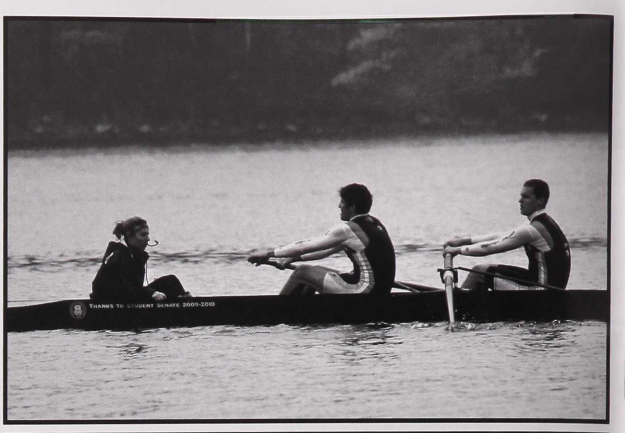
"Really good. We've had a couple of tough years."

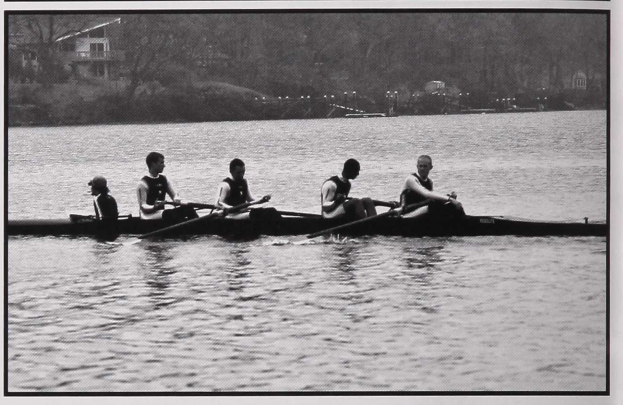
Chris Coughlin
Senior

"The Men's Rowing team continued to build on its success and push the program to new heights. The seniors led the team through the demanding year. The '09-'10 season saw impressive showing at the fall head races, and in the spring season opener. It was also exciting to have a new head coach, Mike McDonald. Whatever happens this season, the underclassmen want to extend a thanks to the departing seniors."

Eli Roth
Junior







Seniors:
Ryan Mouradian
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Nate Dolphin
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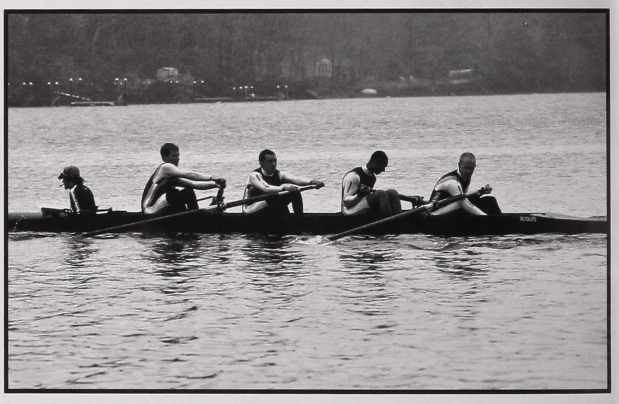

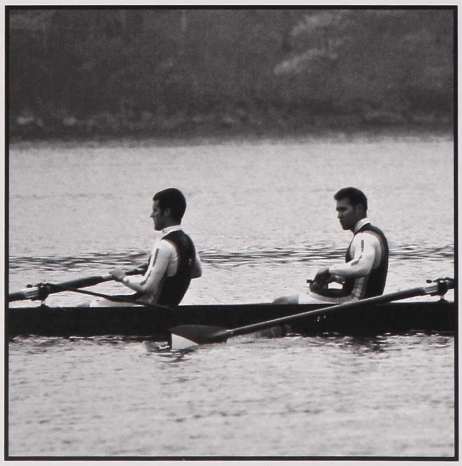

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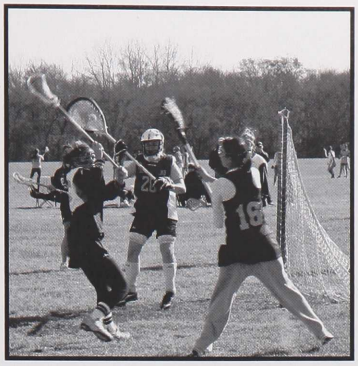

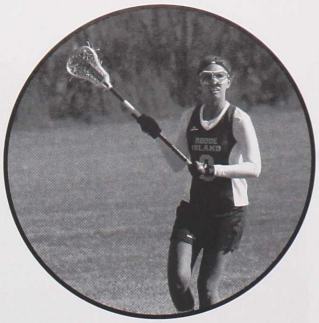

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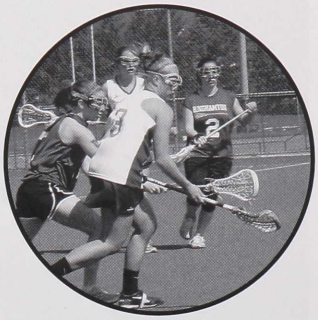

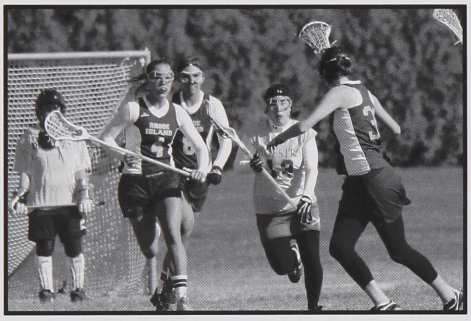

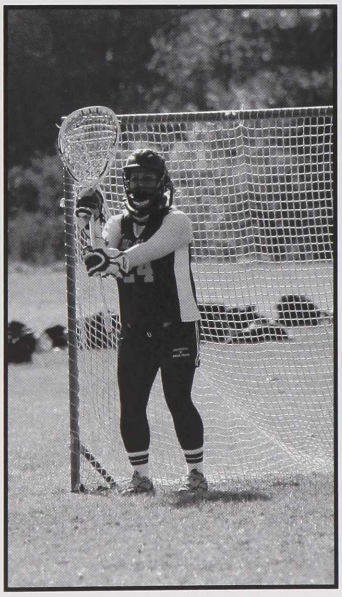

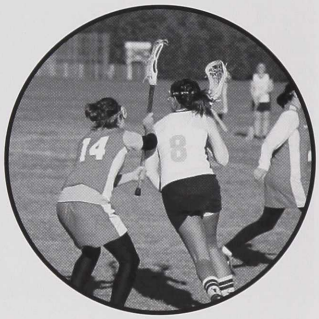

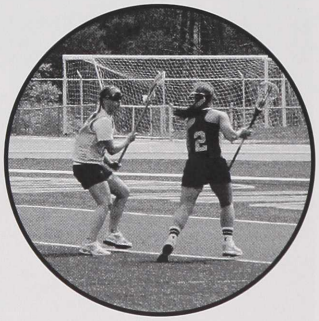

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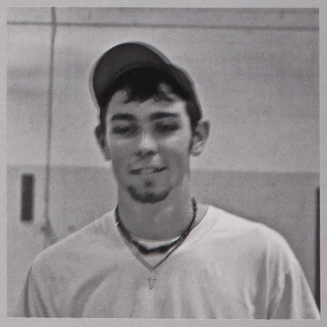

"It's like recess. It's fun."

Jimmy Doyle
-Freshman

Fall 2009	Spring 2010
7 on 7 Flag Football Tournament	Ice Hockey
Outdoor Soccer	Basketball
Ultimate Frisbee	Indoor Soccer
7 on 7 Flag Football	Bowling
Dodgeball	Inner Tube Water Polo
Kickball	Floor Hockey
6 on 6 Indoor Volleyball	Ultimate Frisbee
Tennis	6 on 6 Indoor Volleyball
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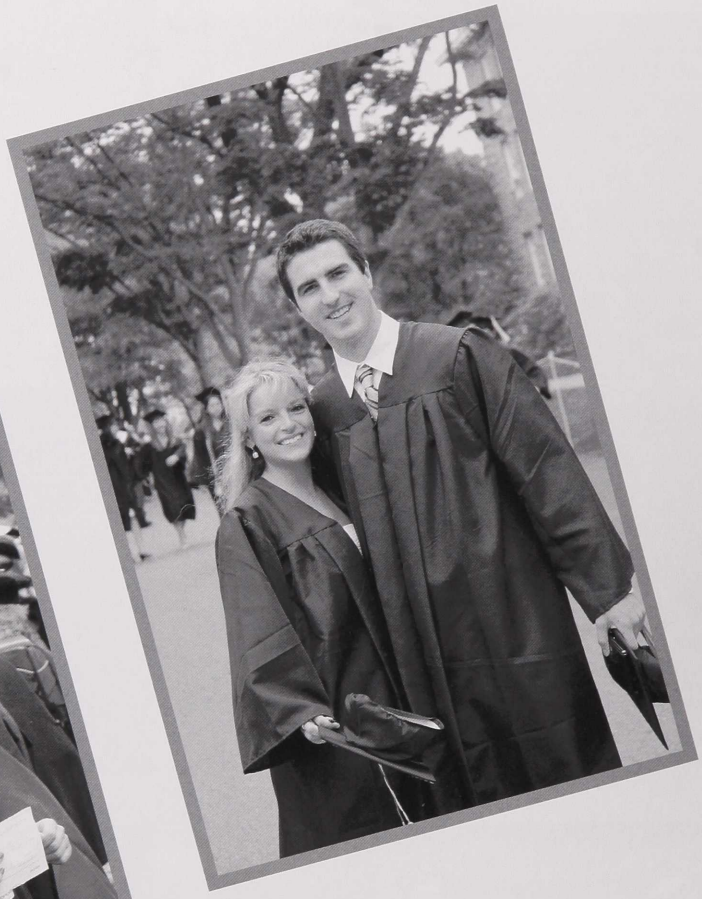
Seniors



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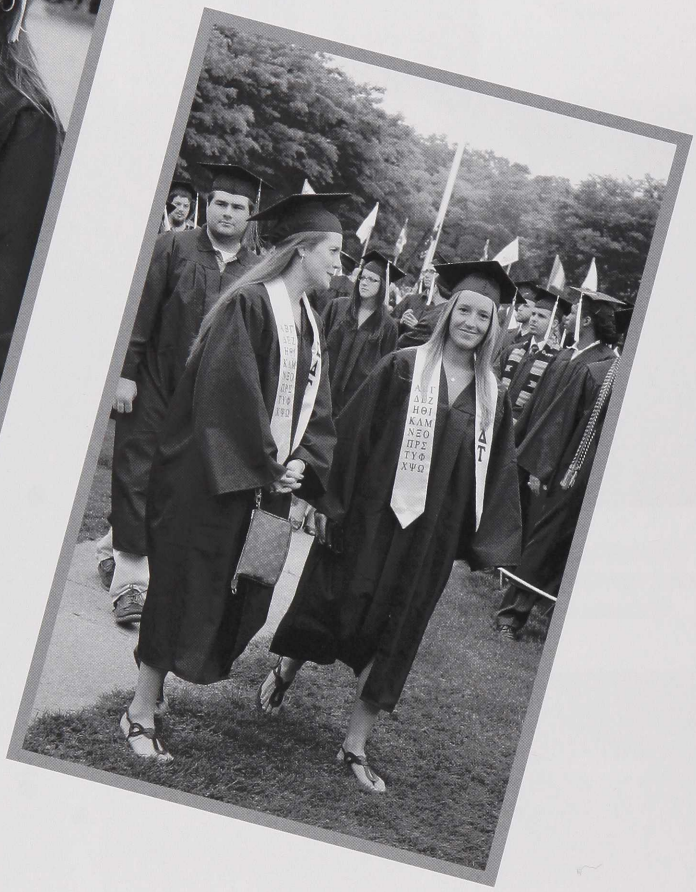
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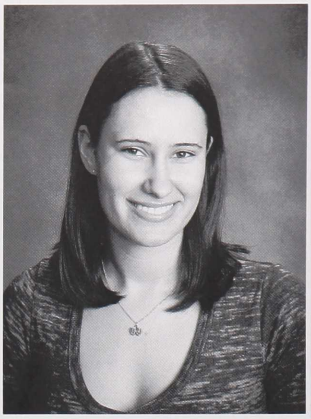

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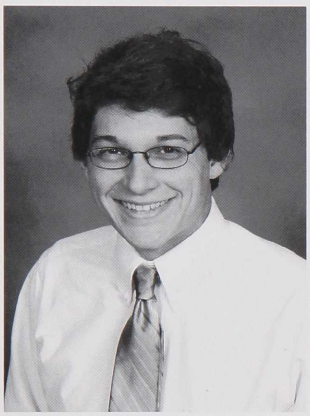

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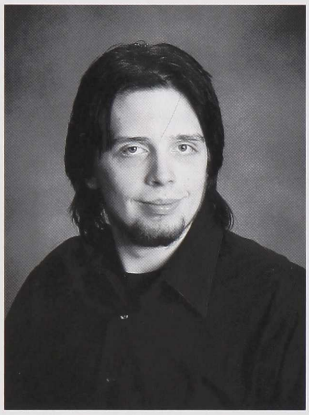

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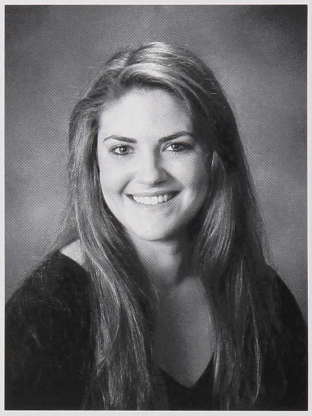

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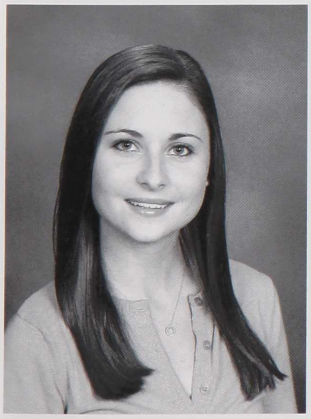

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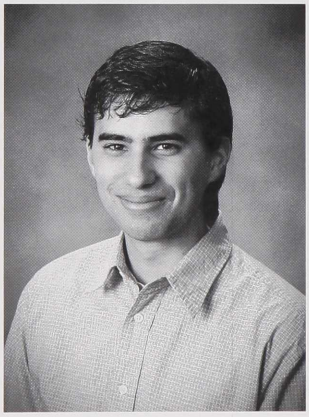

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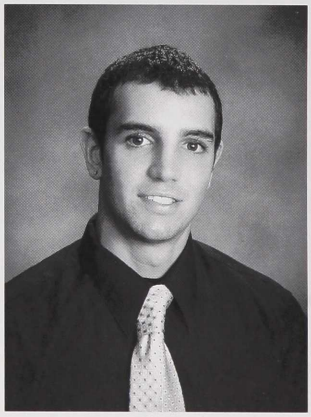

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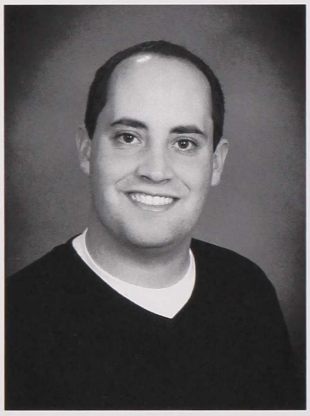

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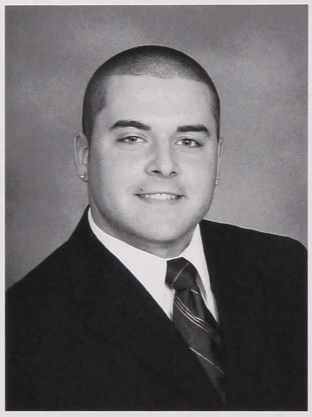

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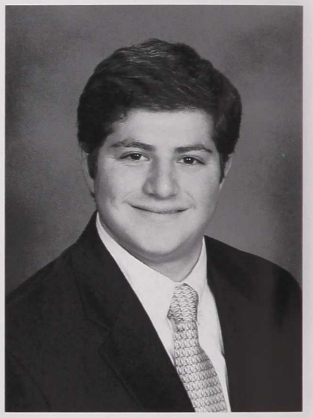

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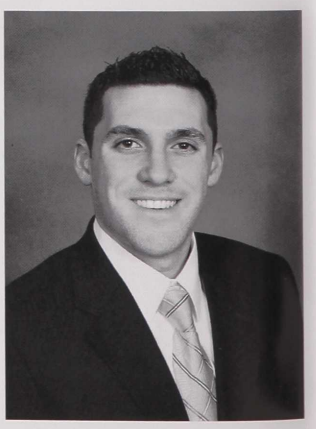

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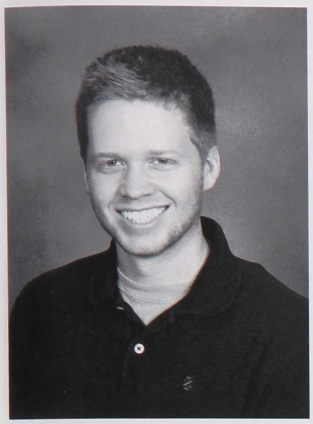

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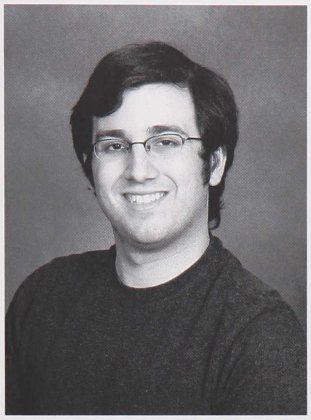

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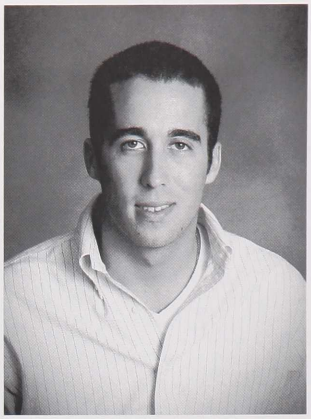

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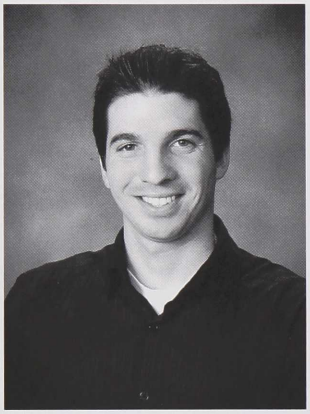

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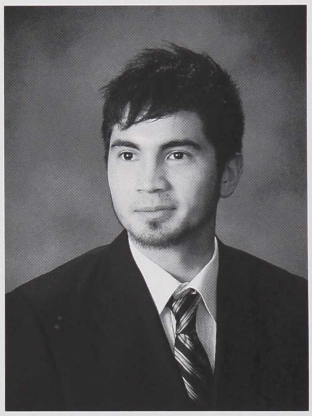

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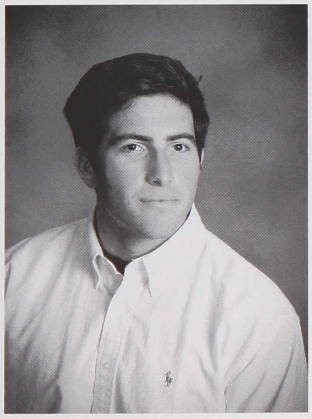

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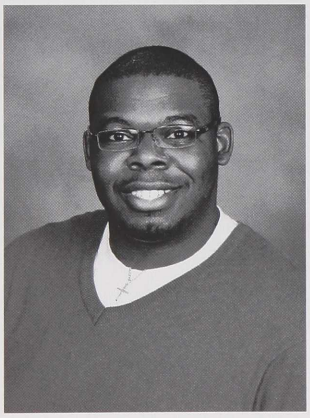

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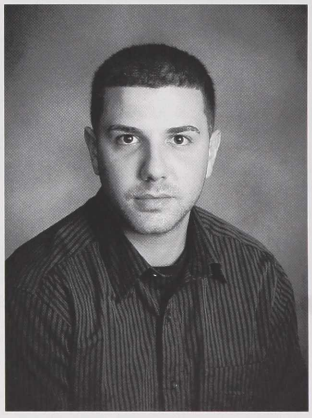

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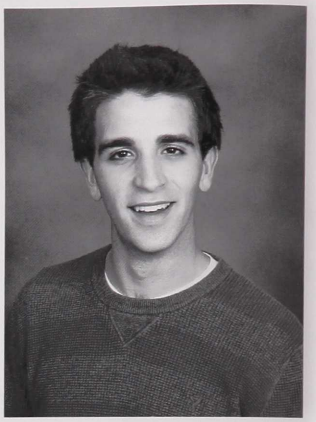

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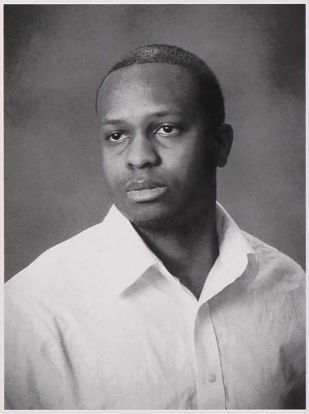

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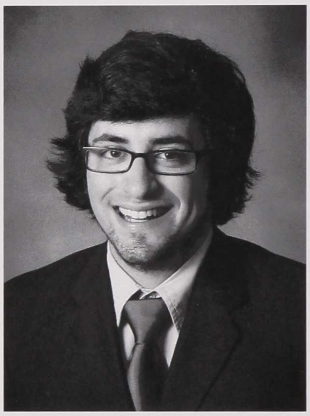

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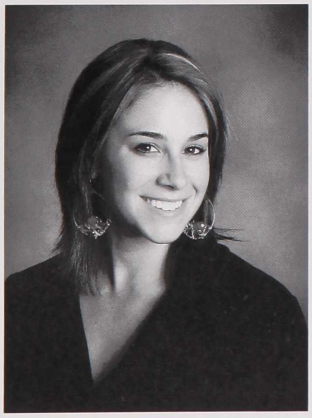

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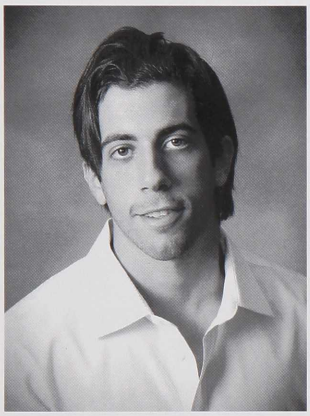

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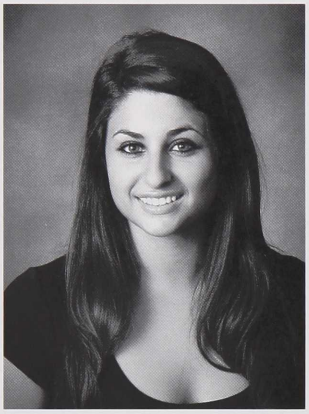

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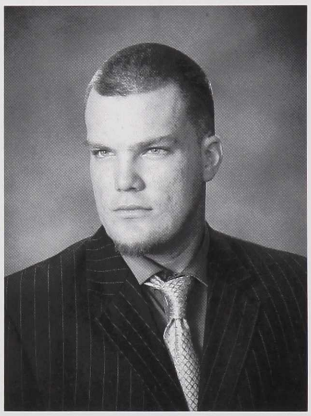

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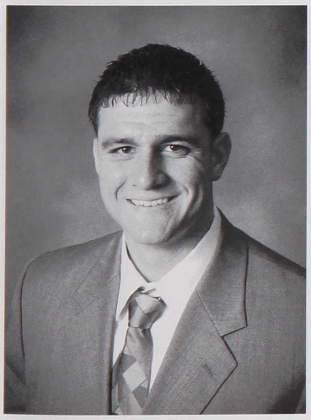

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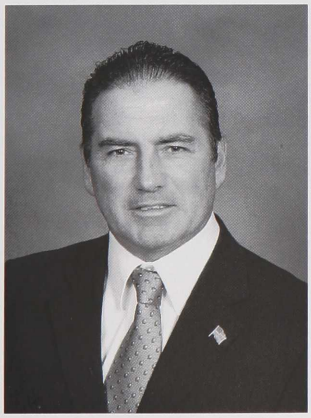

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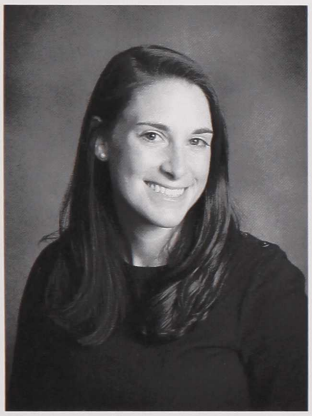

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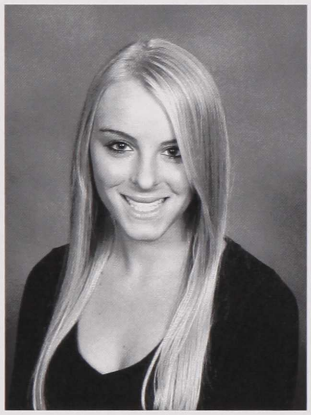

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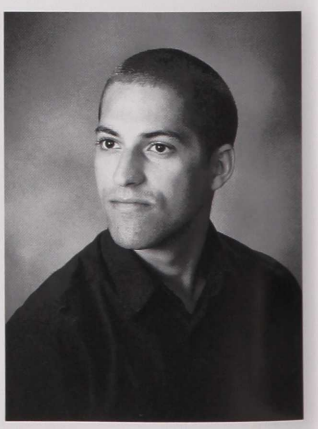

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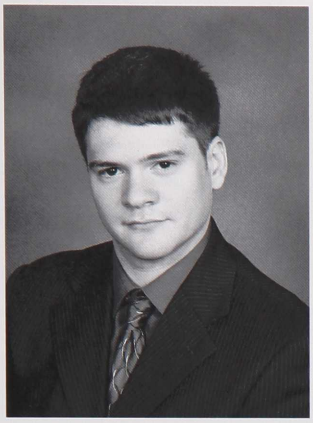

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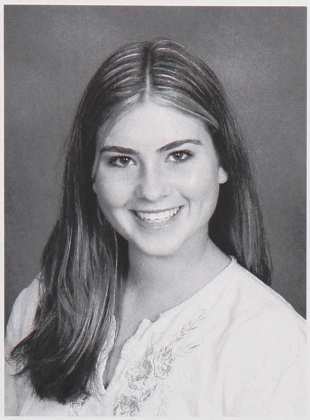

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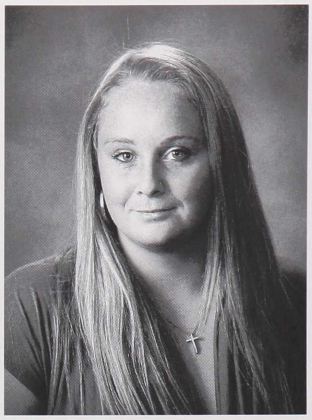

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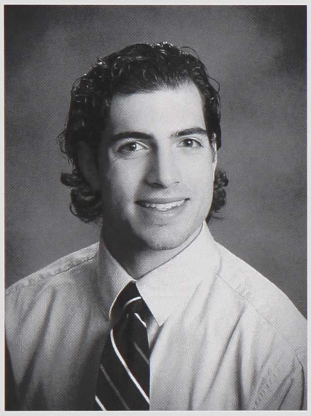

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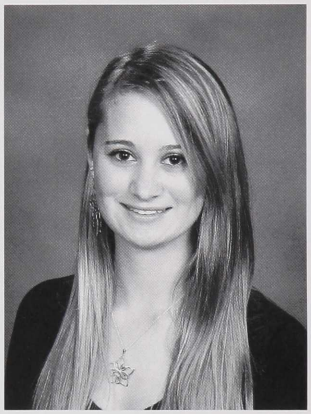

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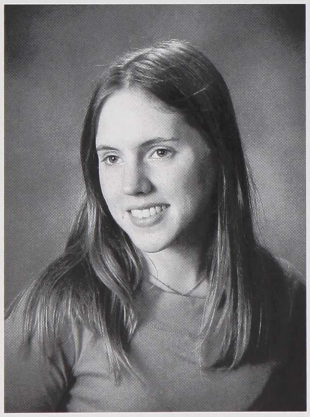

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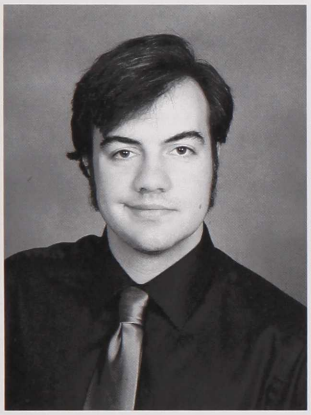

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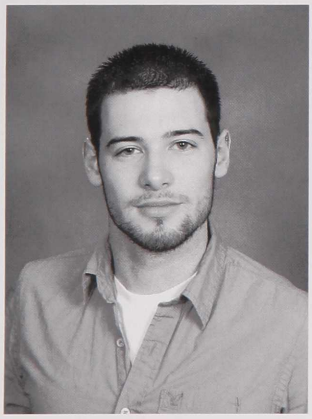

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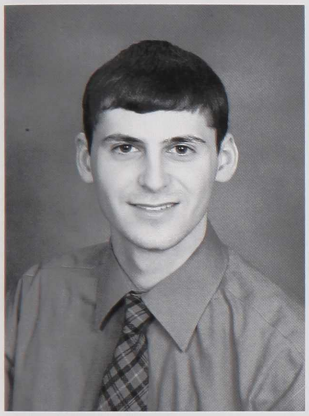

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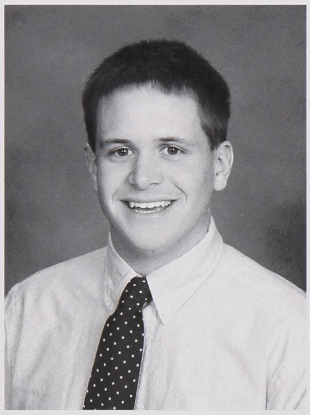

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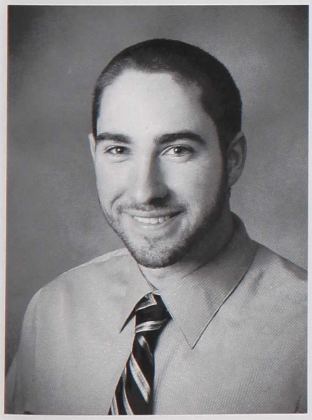

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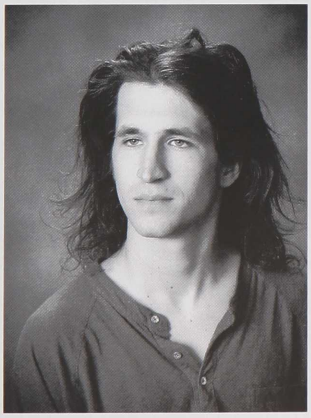

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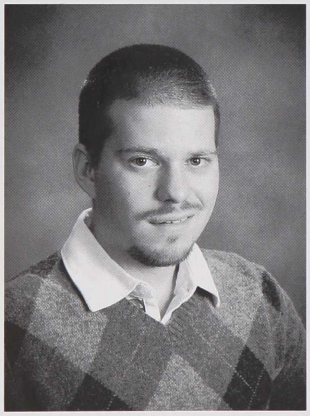

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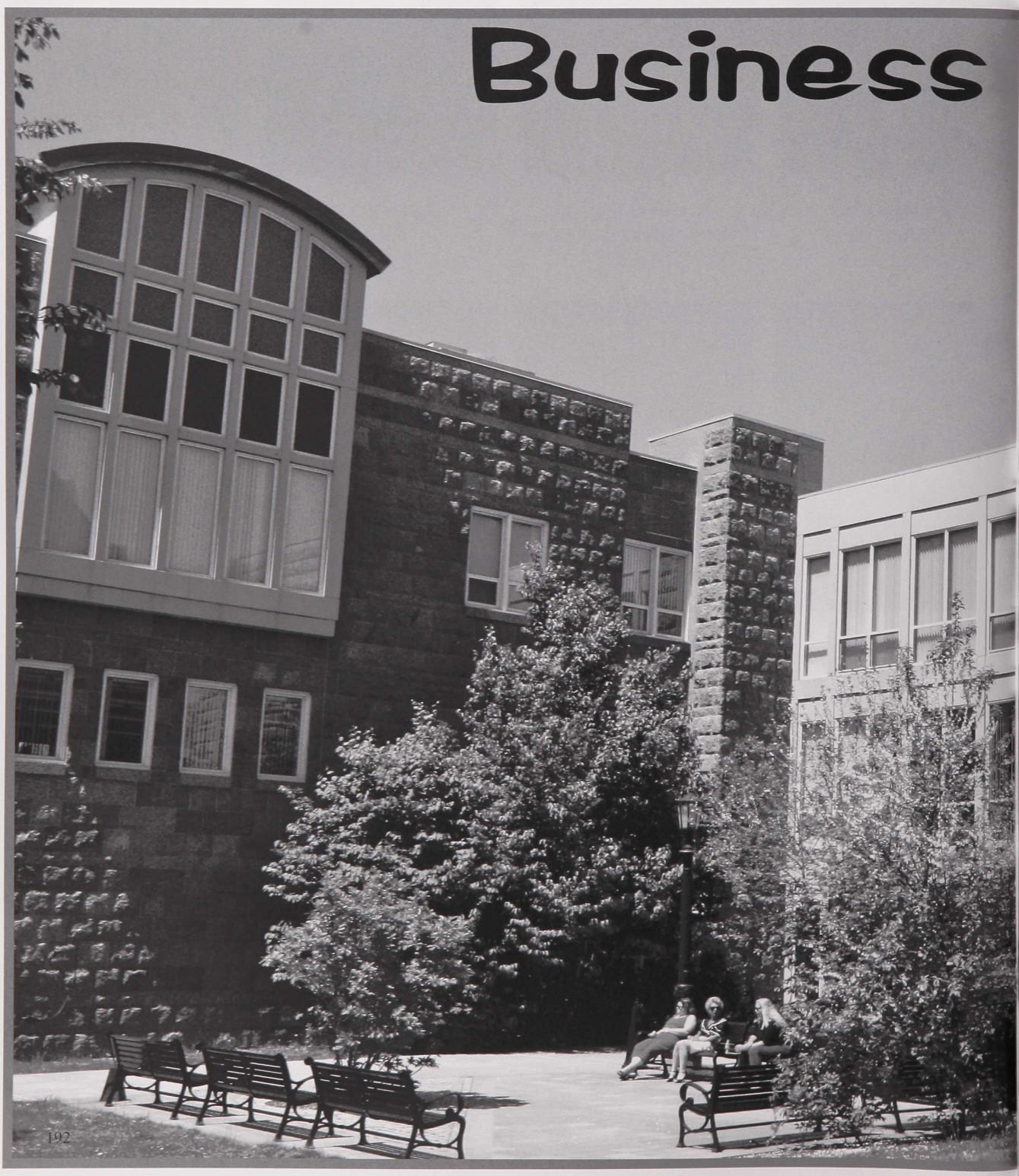

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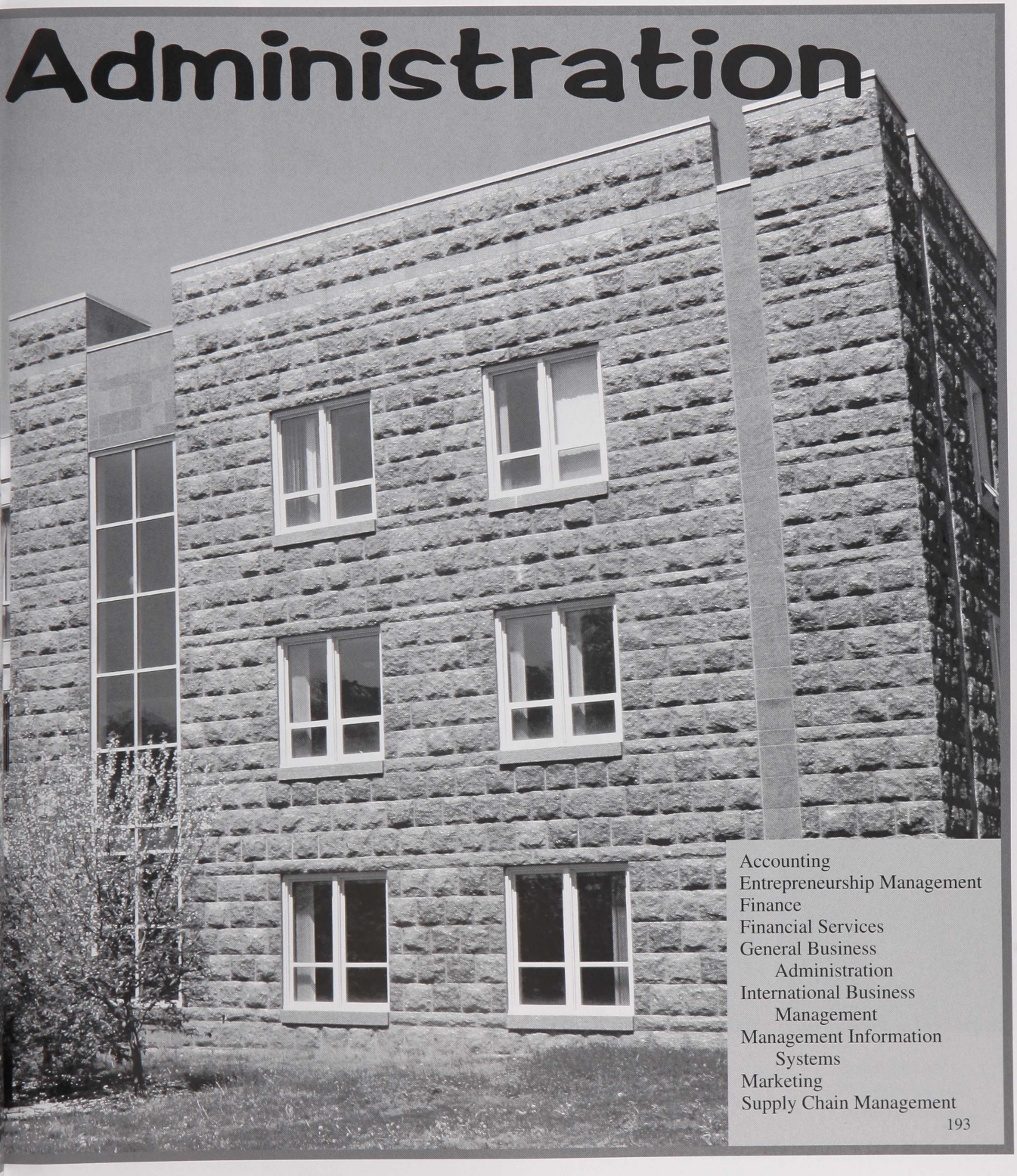

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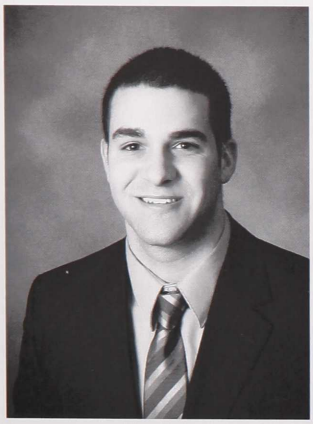

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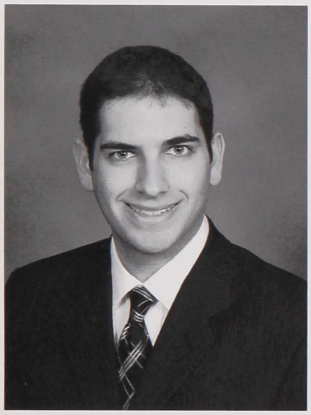

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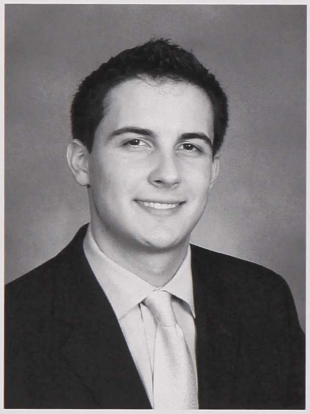

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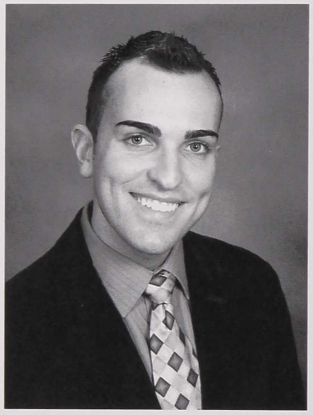

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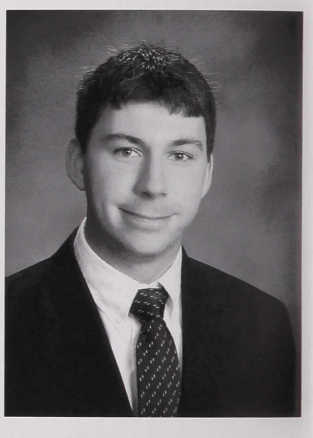

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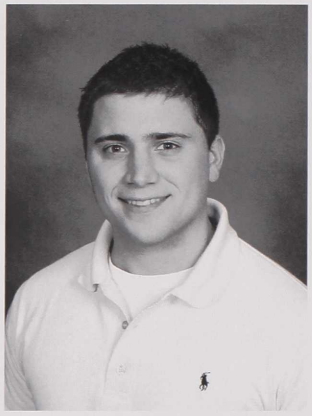

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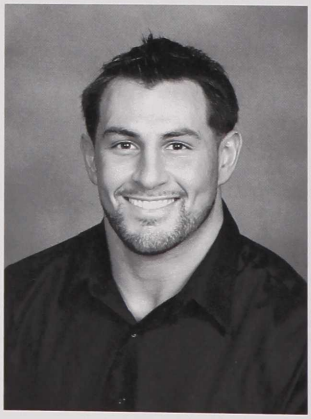

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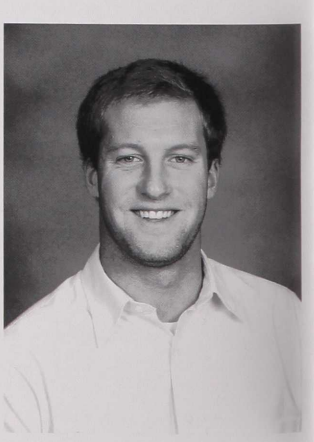

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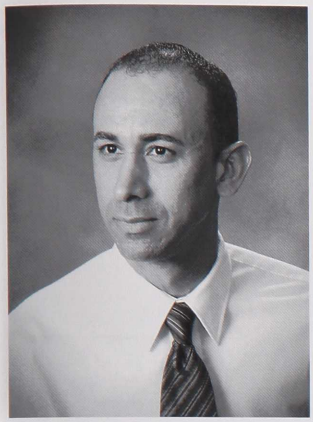

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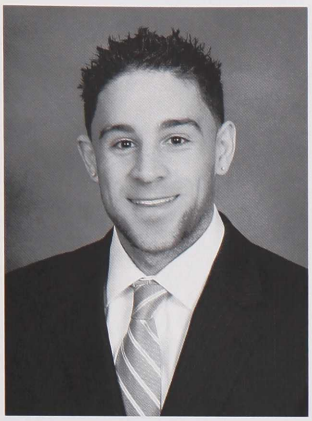

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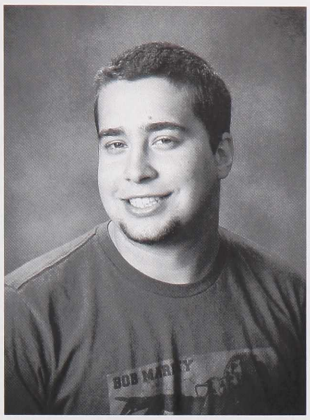

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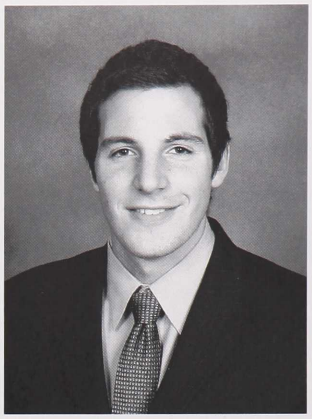

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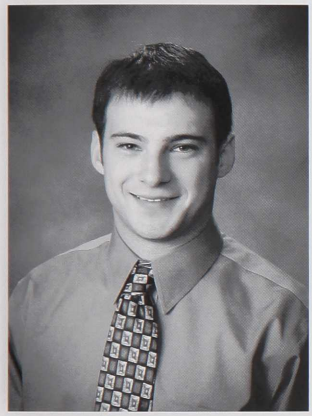

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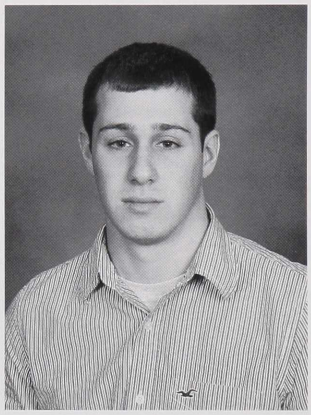

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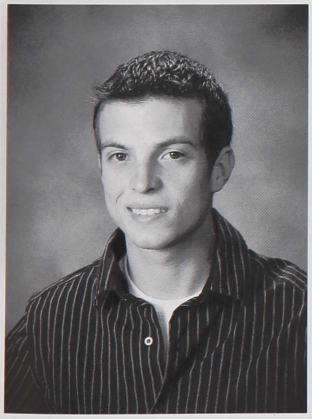

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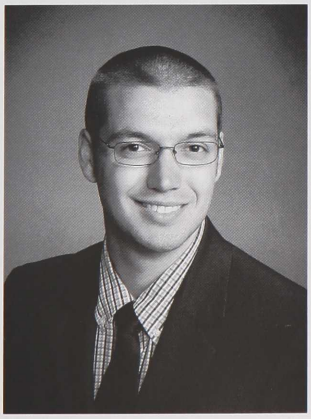

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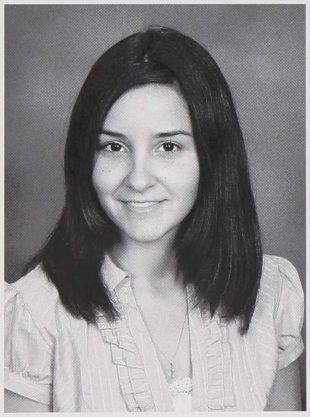

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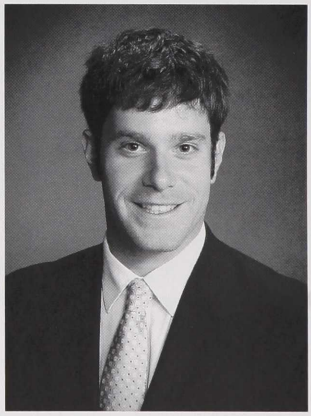

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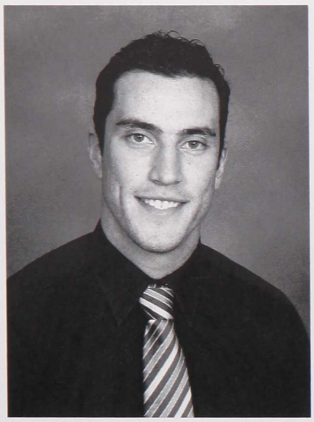

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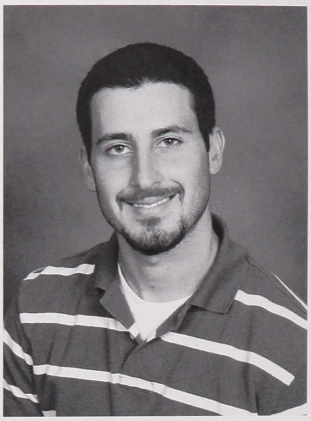

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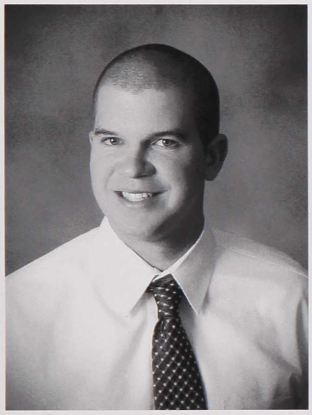

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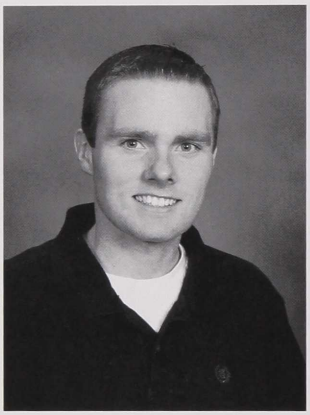

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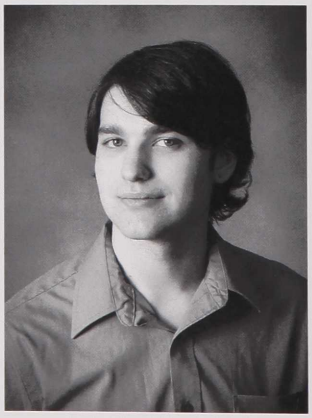

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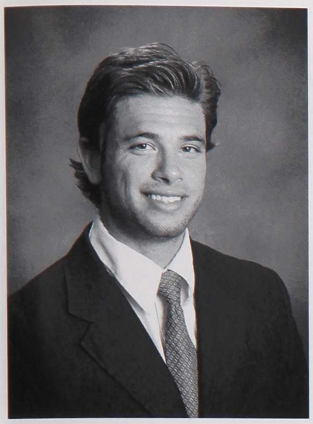

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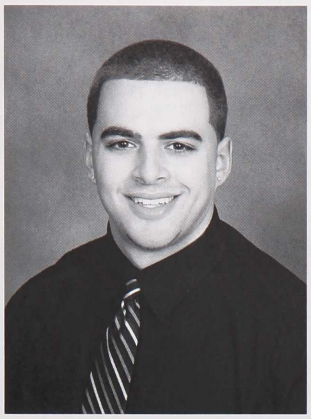

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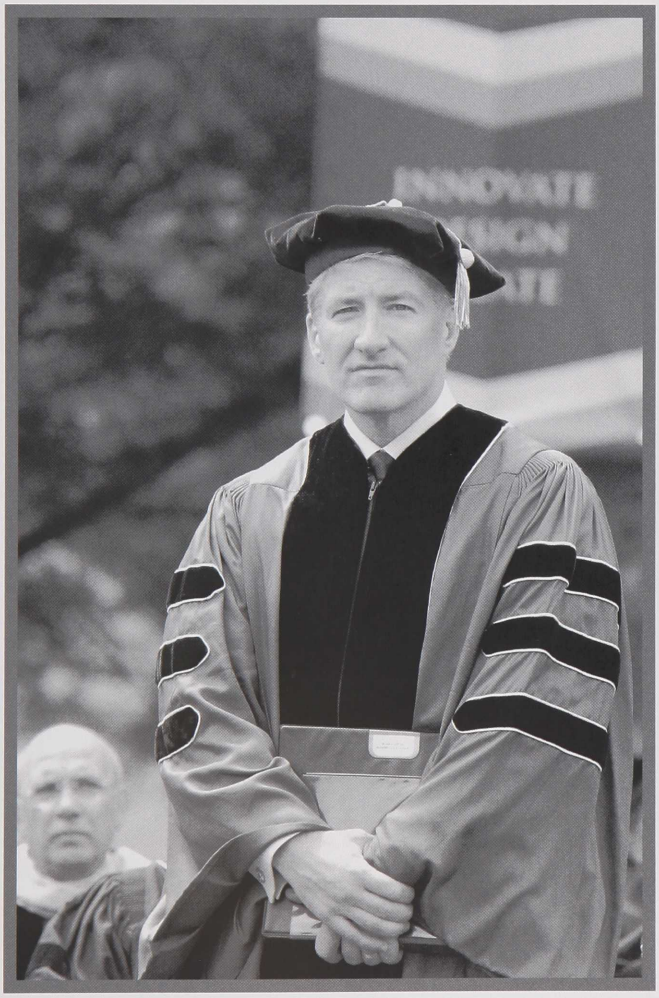

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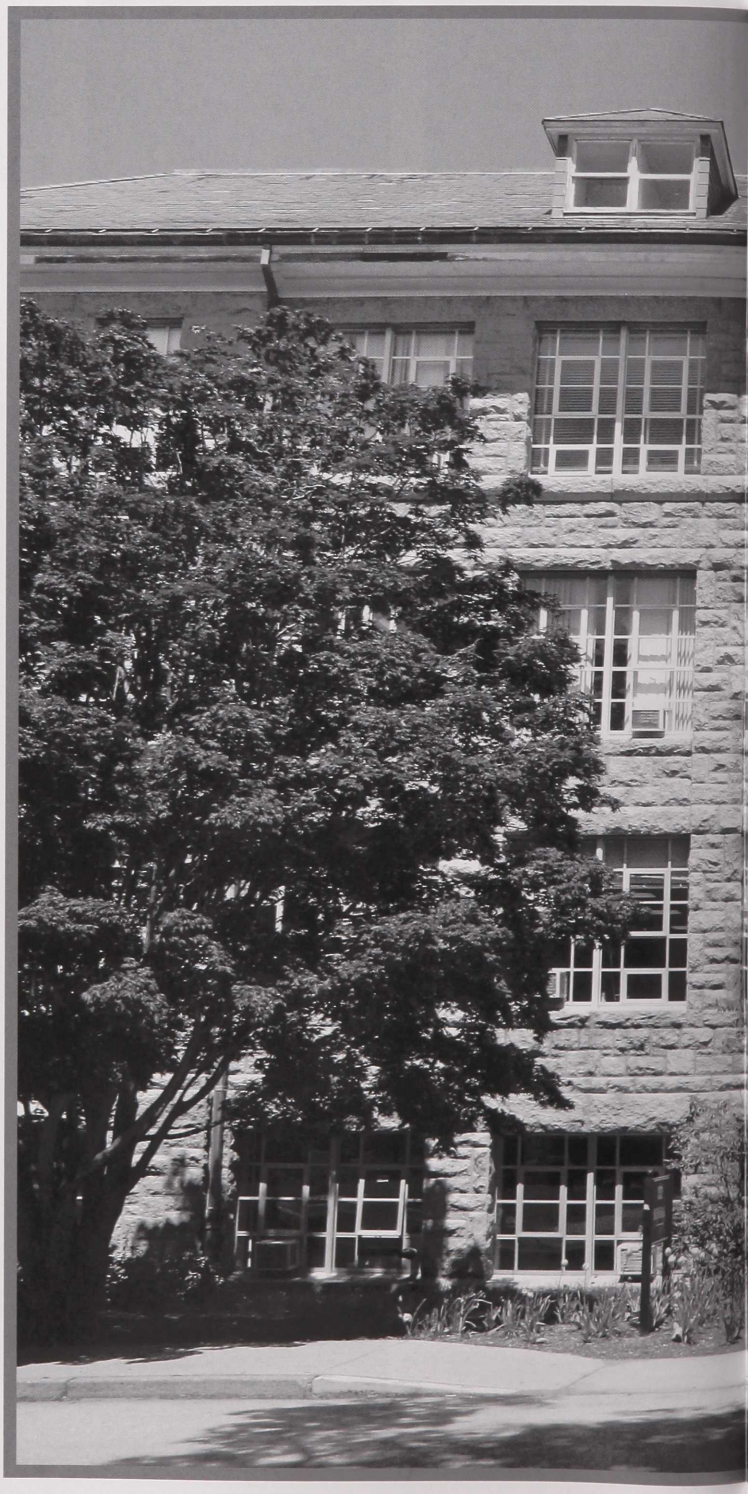

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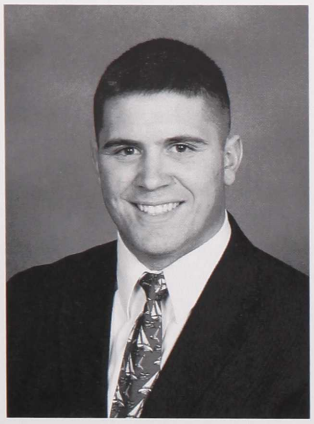

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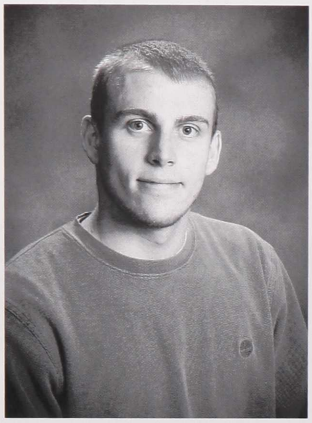

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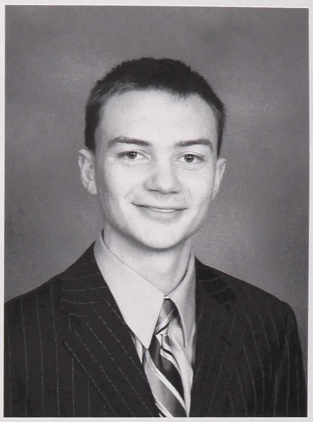

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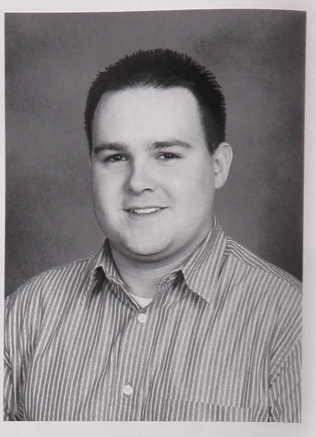

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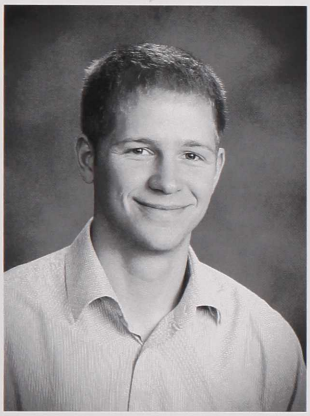

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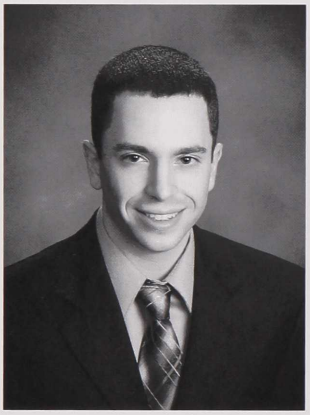

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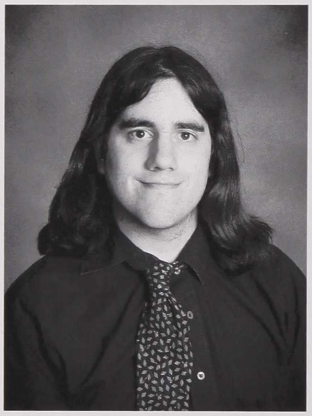

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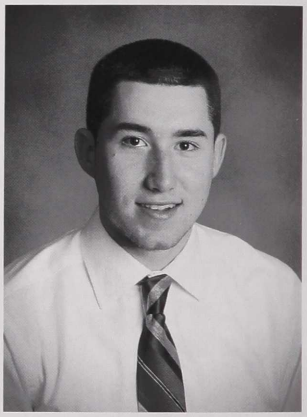

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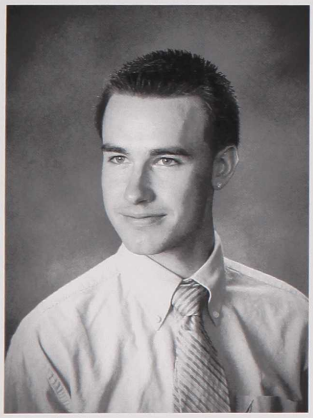

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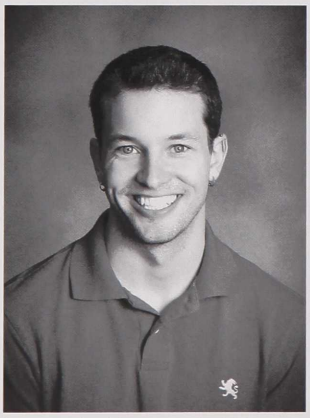

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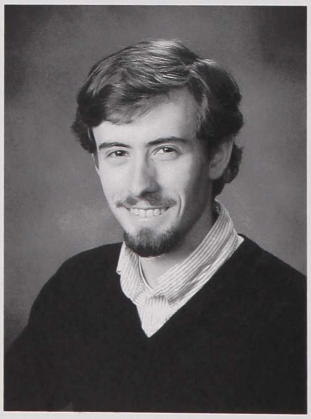

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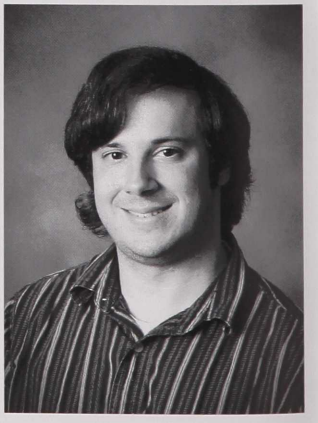

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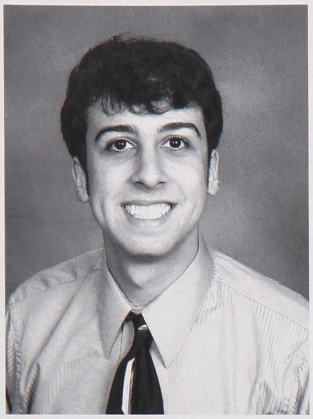

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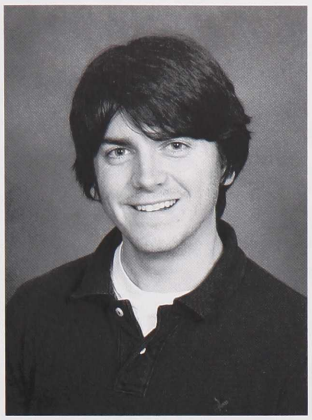

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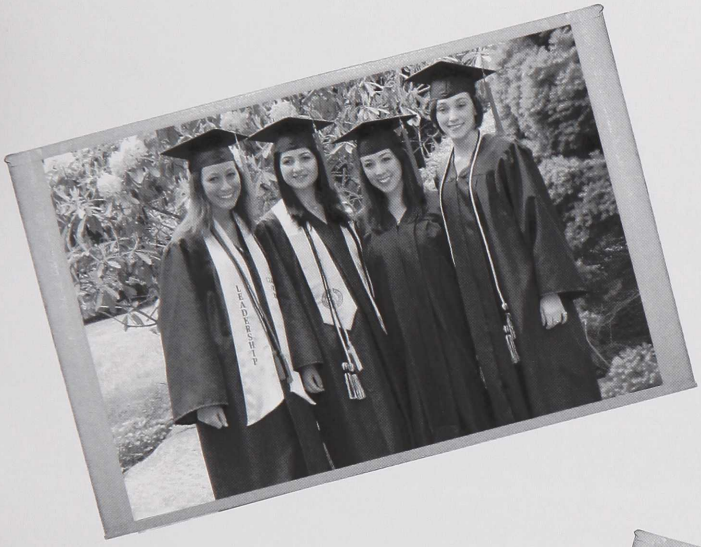

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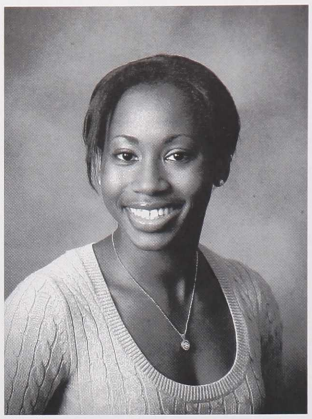

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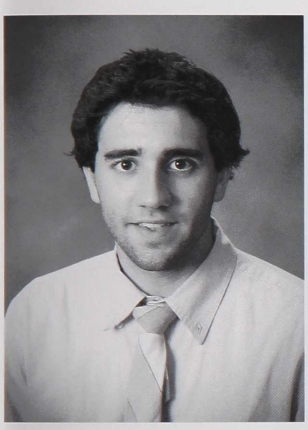

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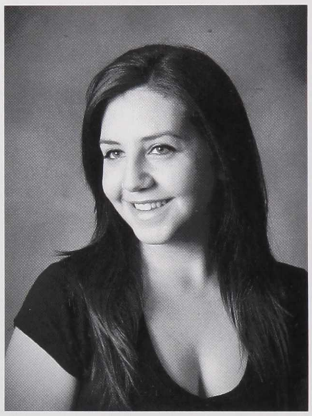

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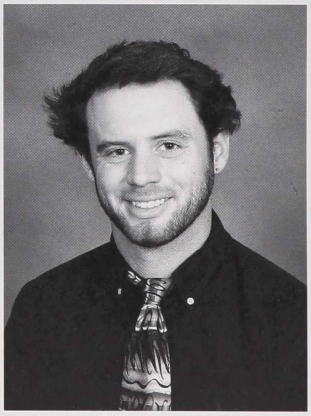

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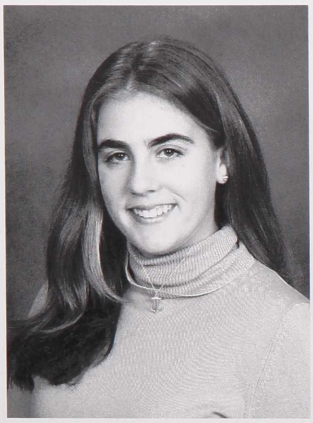

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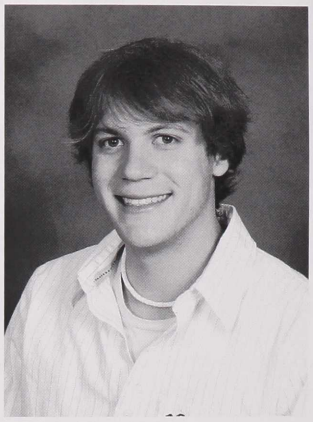

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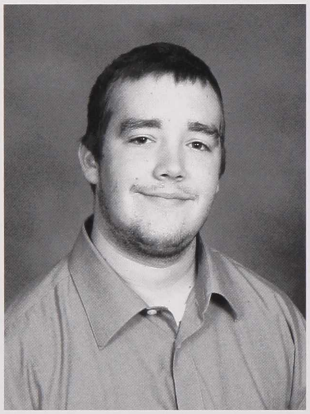

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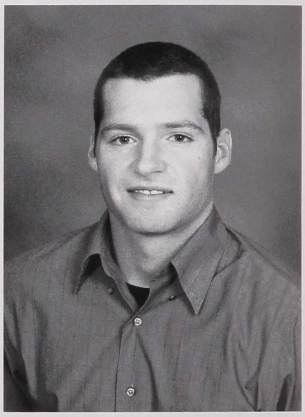

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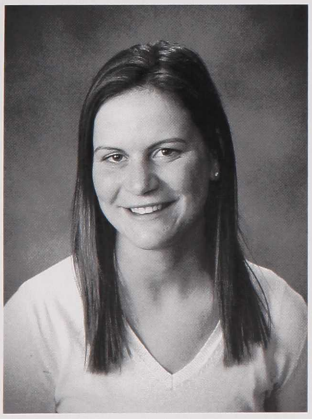

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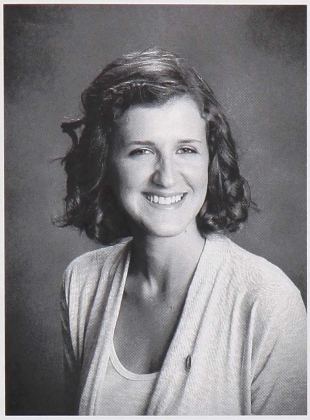

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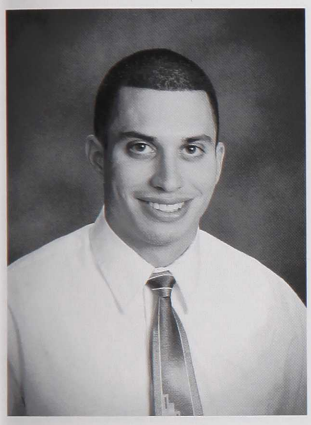

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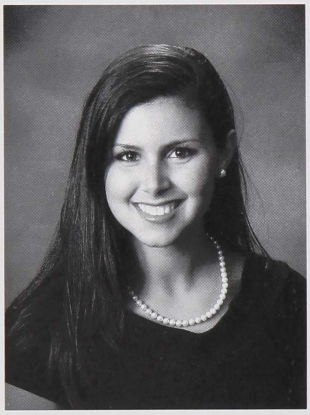

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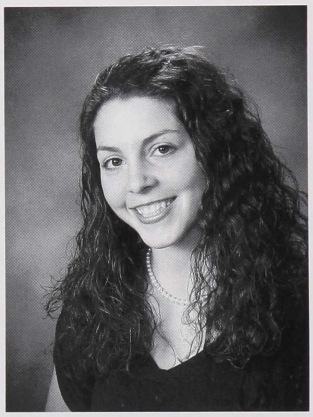

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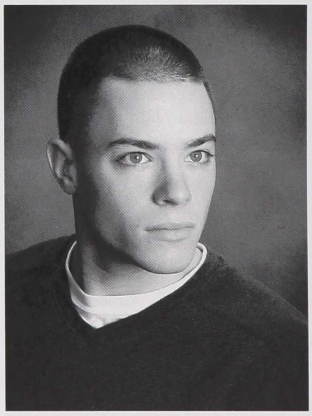

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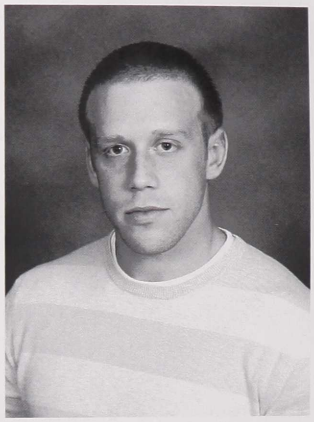

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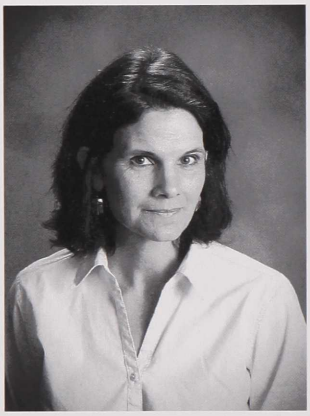

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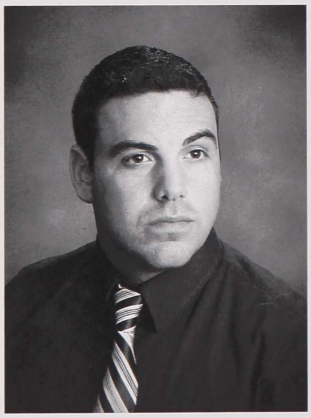

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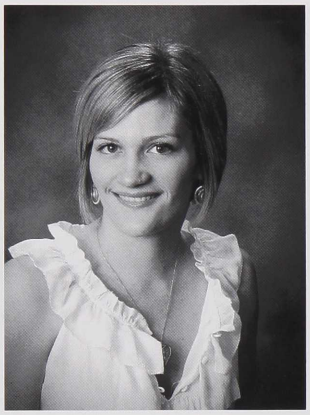

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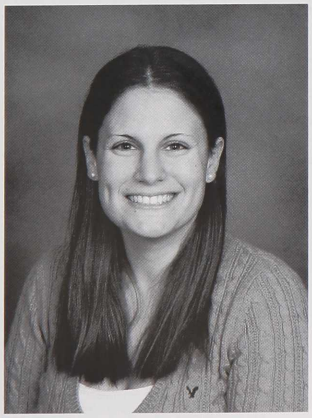

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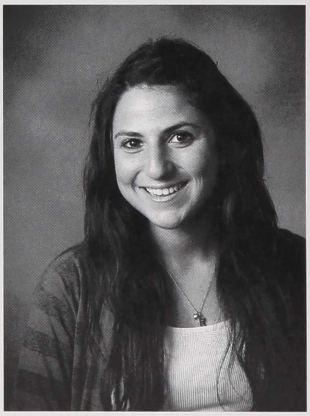

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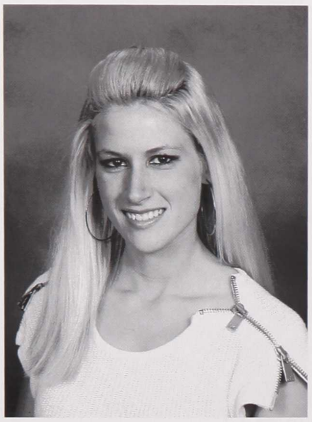

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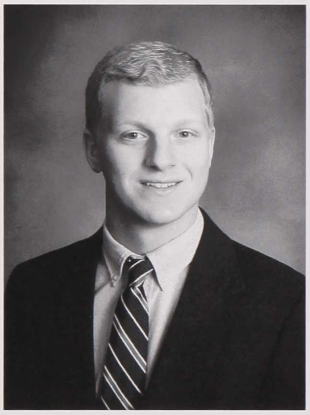

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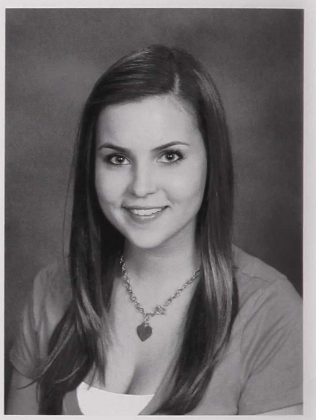

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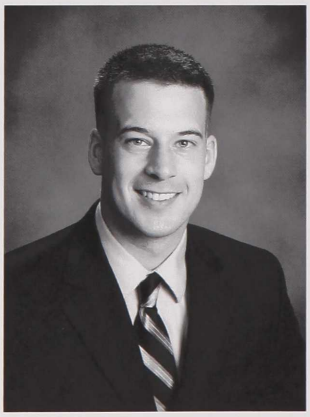

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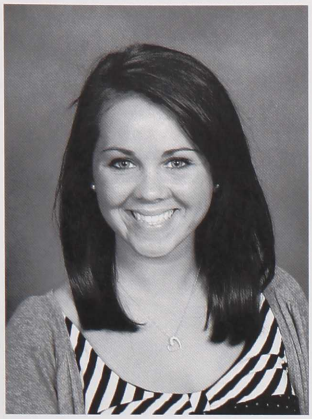

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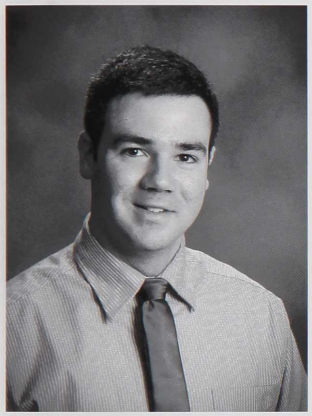

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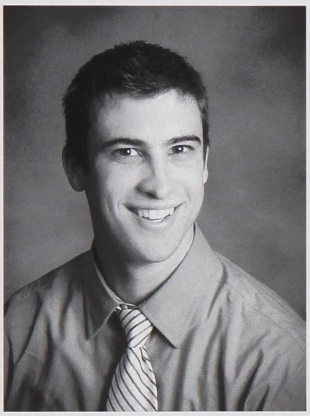

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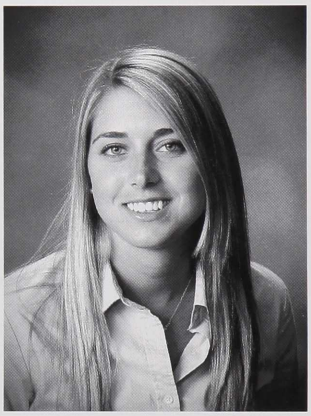

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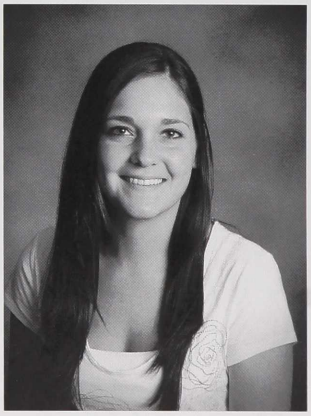

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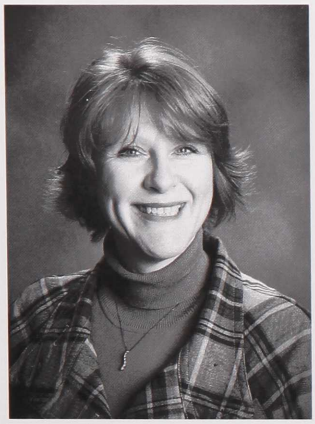

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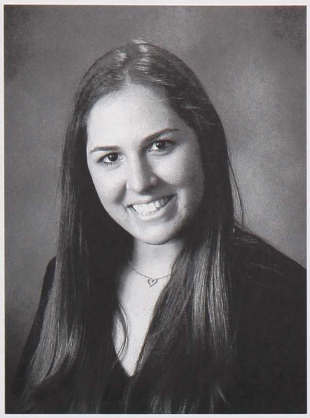

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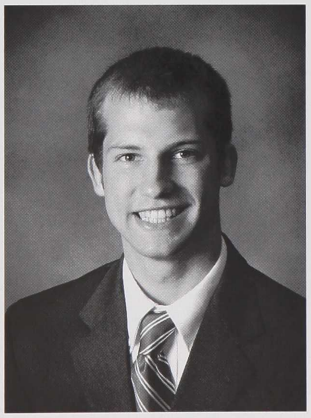

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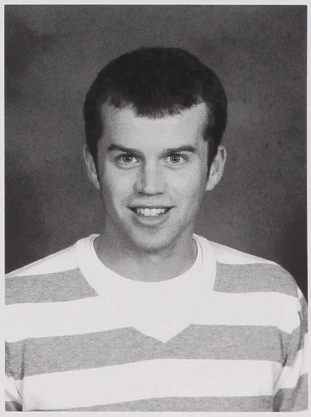

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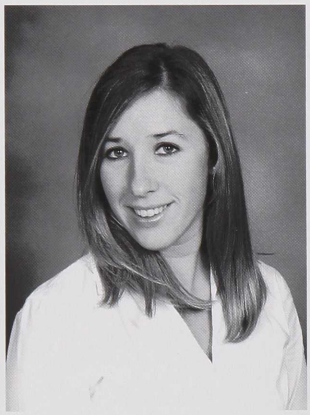

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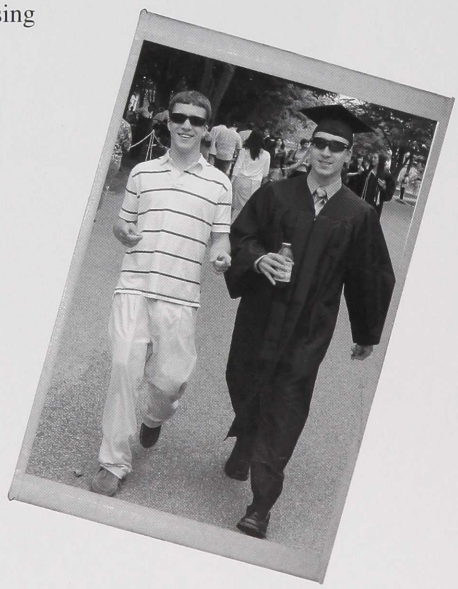

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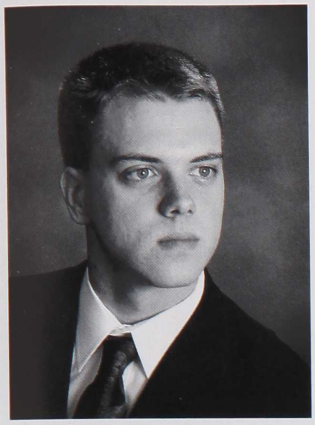

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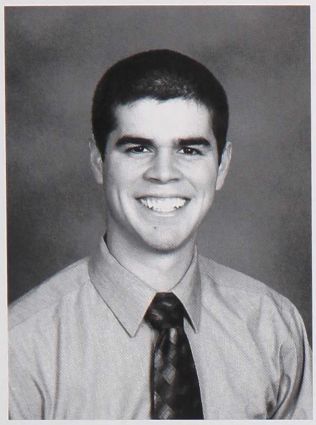

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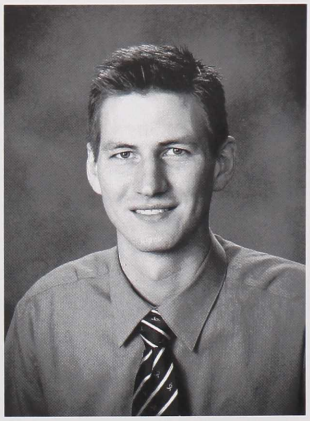

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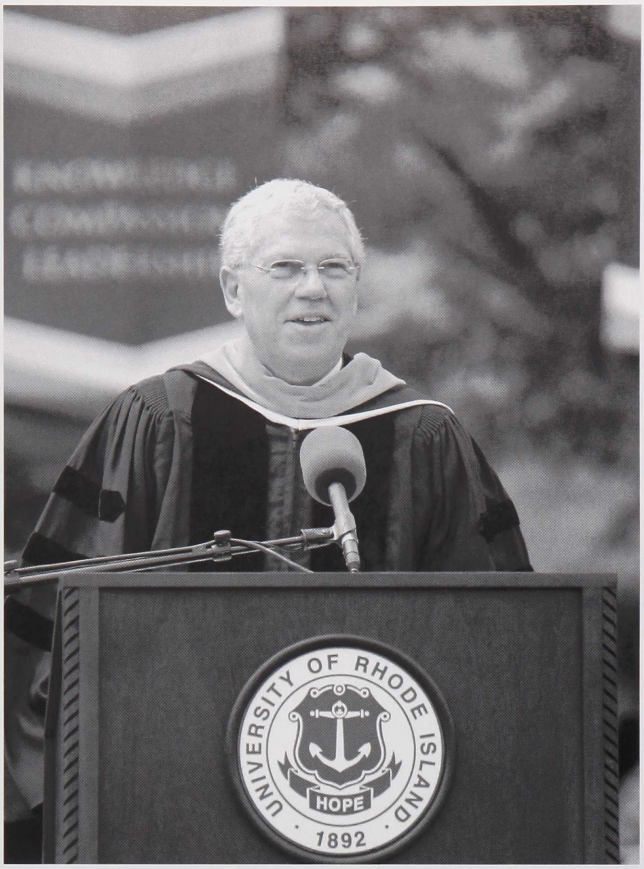
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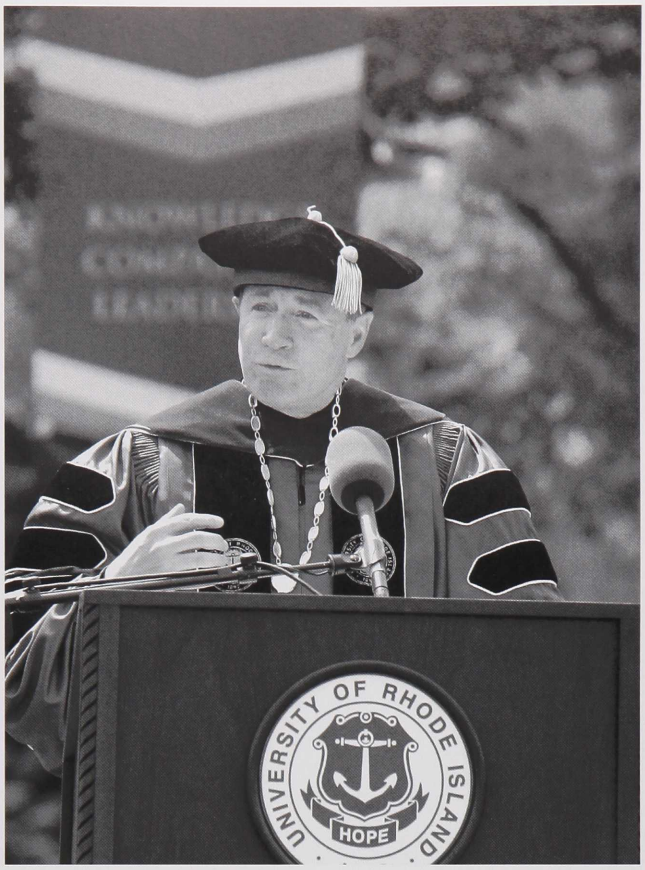
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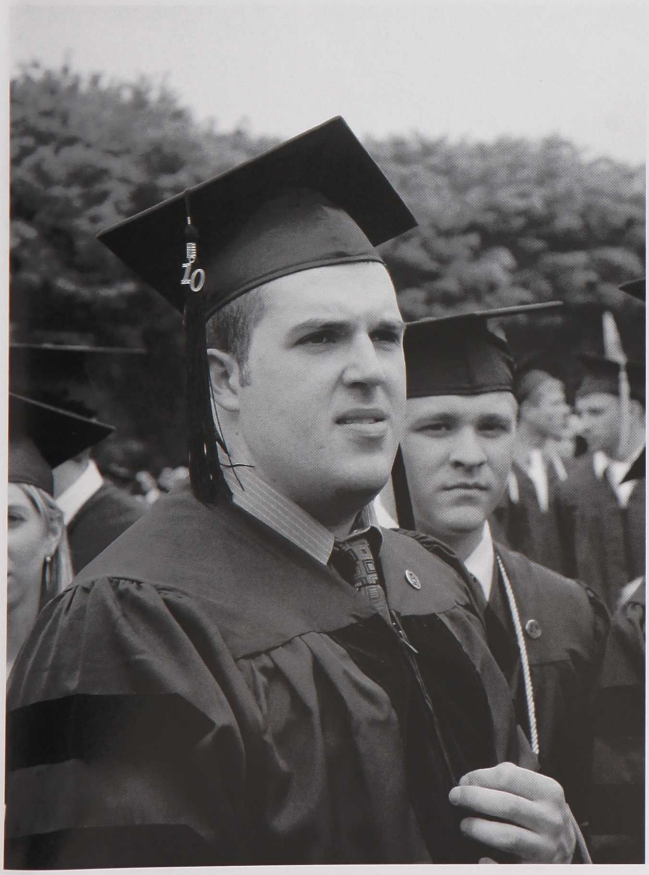

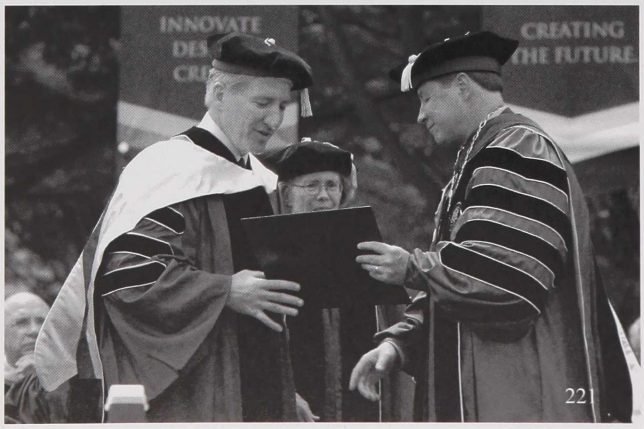
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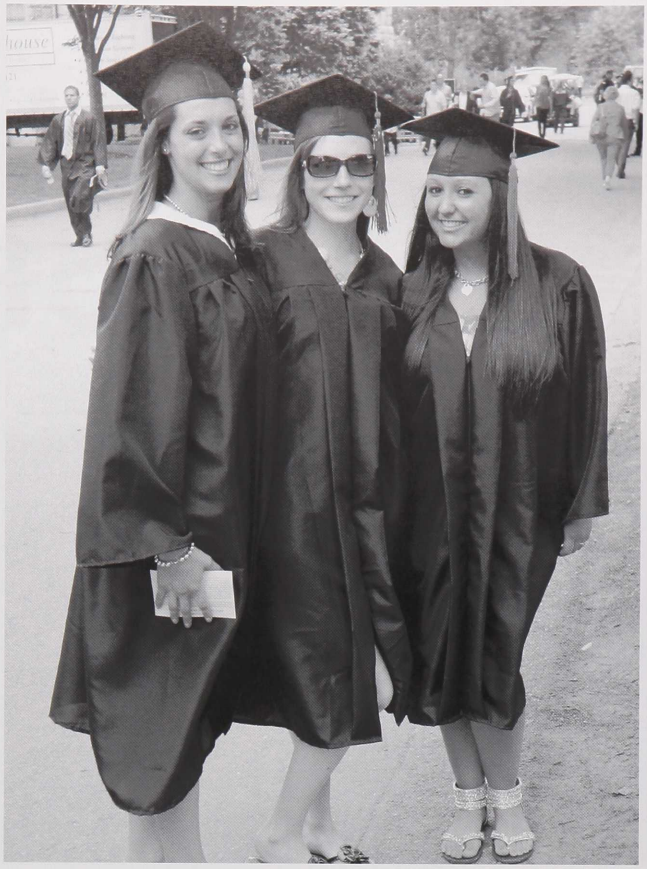

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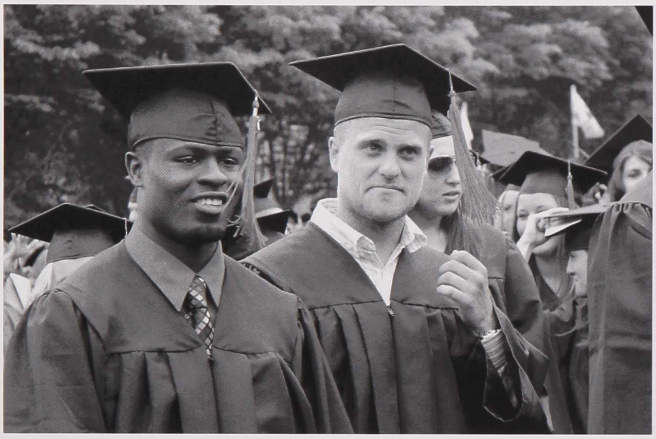
Congratulations Class of 2010



Melissa Catherine Pearce

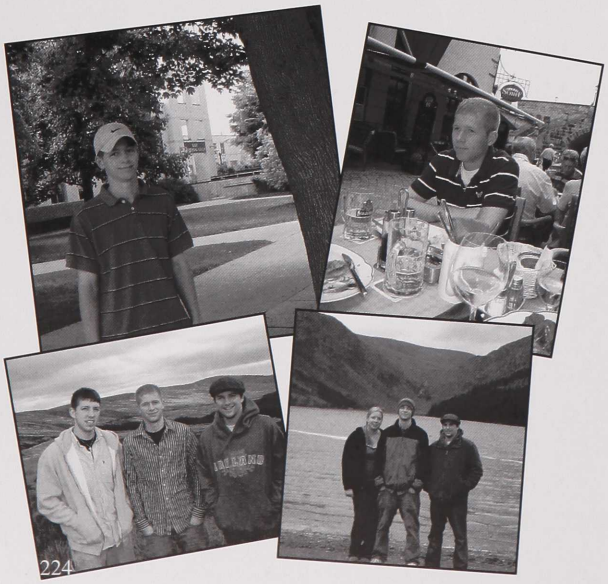
Congratulations Melissa!

We are so proud of you. We wish you much happiness and success in the future. We love you so much!

Love, Mom, Dad and Dan

Michael Barlow

Congratulations, Mike: You started out with a goal in mind and have seen it through to the end. We have watched you grow and mature through all of this and we are very, very proud of you. With all our love, Mom, Dad and Abby!

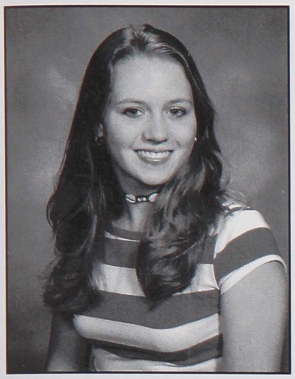


Pamela LiPetri

Always keep your heart young and your expectations high, and NEVER let your dreams fade. We are very proud of you!!

Love always, Mom, Dad & Mikey

Caitlyn Duggan



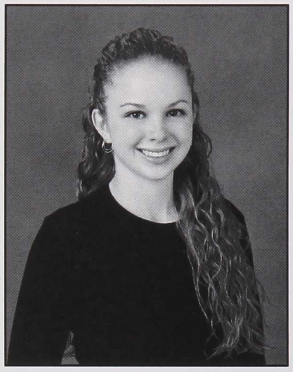
Love and pride felt on the day you were born has blossomed into admiration for the woman you have become. Success will always follow you.

Much Love,
Mom and Dad

Kimberly McGuiness

Watching you grow into a wonderful young woman has been the greatest experience of our lives. You are going to be a brilliant speech pathologist.

All Our Love,
Mom, Dad, and
Mike

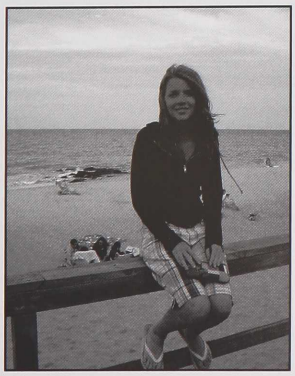


Abbey Seabury

Congratulations, Abbey!

We love you to the "moon and back" and are so very proud of you!

As you grow and change don't ever lose your love of the ocean and that free spirit in your soul !
Love,
Mom and Dad

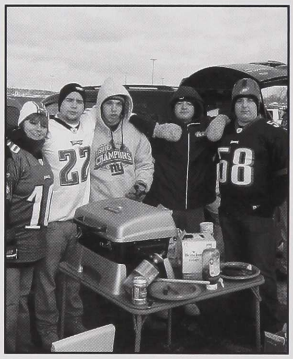


Tim Eatwell

Congratulations to our special son Tim. With that great smile and ambition we are so proud of the man you have become.
You have made true lifelong friends in Gary, Julian (Julio) and Patrick.
Congratulations to all of you and thank you for supporting each other over your four years together at URI

Looking forward to the Graduation Tim !

With love from
Mum, Dad, Matt,
Victoria, Nan, and Nan
and Gramp xxxxxx



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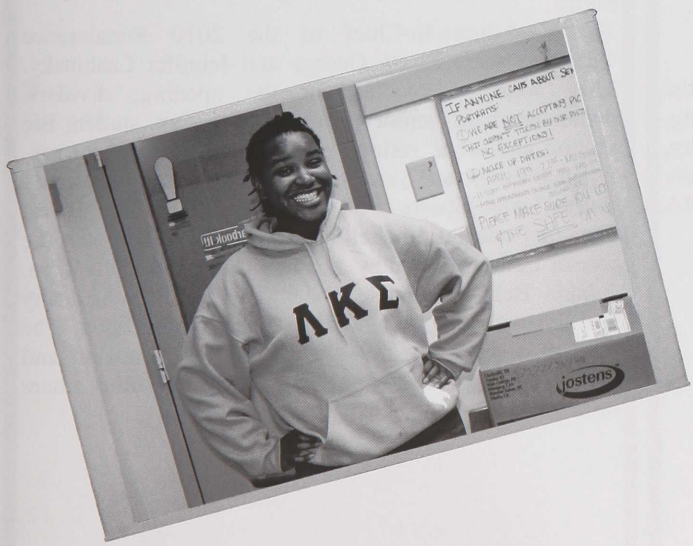
Yearbook Staff

The entire Renaissance Yearbook Staff worked extremely hard to complete this year's book from start to finish. As a group we managed to cover almost every event on campus from club events, to sporting events and everything in between. We had a very committed staff who worked incredibly hard in order to ensure that each and every event was covered and highlighted in this edition of the yearbook. This year we had an exceptionally rough start, and the co-editors, Emily and Jenn, would like to thank the entire staff for their hard work and determination in making sure that this book was finished on time. We couldn't have done it without each and every one of our excellent staff members who managed to fit the completion of this book into their already demanding class schedules and busy social lives. As a staff we would also like to congratulate our graduating seniors, Emily George and Melissa Simandl, and wish them the best of luck in the future. Their commitment and enthusiasm to the Renaissance Yearbook staff has greatly aided in the production of the 2010 yearbook and their input next year will be greatly missed.



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